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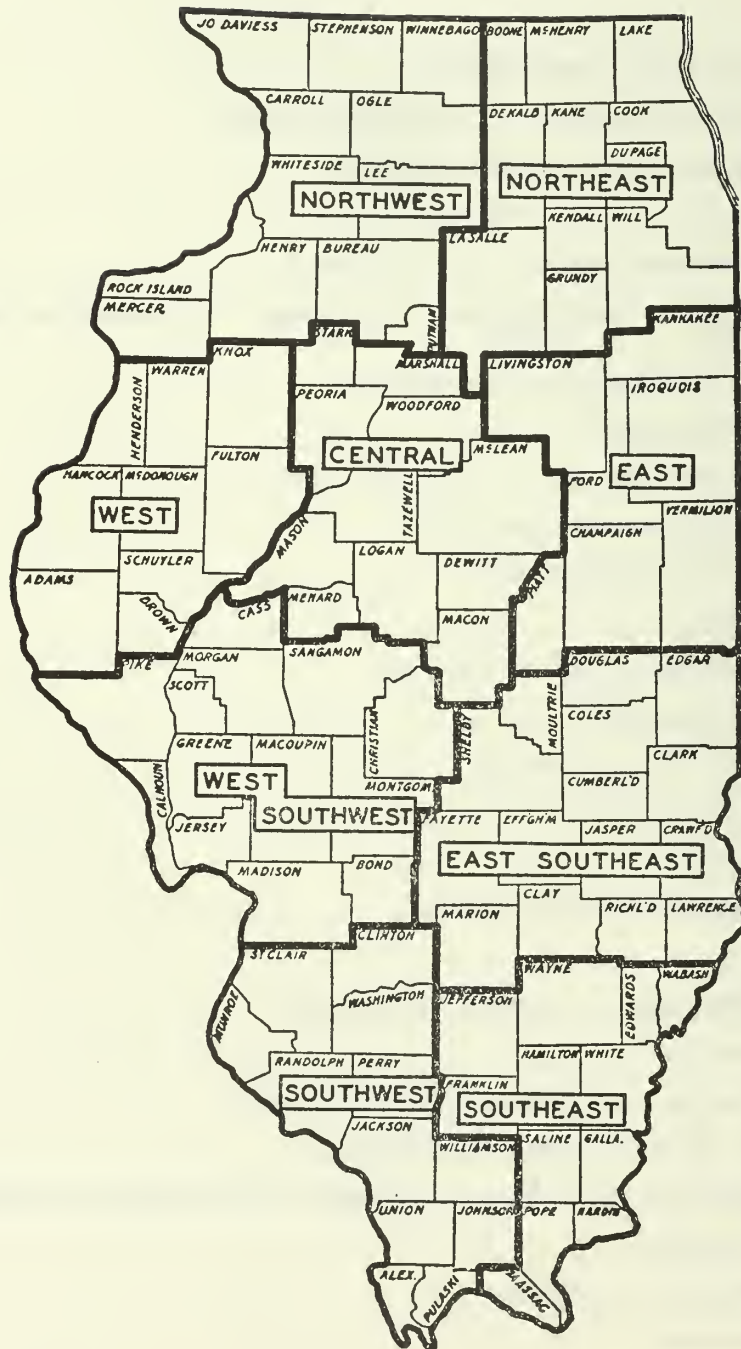
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FORWORD

Illinois always ranks in the top five States in sales of eggs and is an important supplier of chickens, turkeys, and ducks. Its poultry products are used daily in American households and many and varied are the marketing services used to bring them from the producer to the consumer. Over half of the farms in this State produce poultry or poultry products for sale with a gross of approximately 100 million dollars.

This bulletin, the second in a series of five covering principal Illinois commodity groups, is intended as a source book of basic poultry data useful to producers and buyers alike. It provides a monthly pattern of production, price and feed costs and their relation to each other. It initiates county data on average annual sales of eggs, farm chickens, and broilers. It makes available for the first time in the State's history, an annual county series of number of layers, production per hen, and total production. It contains a county breakdown of chicken flocks on a size group basis.

Joseph G. Thomas, the author of this bulletin, has had no precedents to guide him, so it is the result of his own pioneering. The publication is the end product of a well made plan and vigorous execution of it. The compilation, graphic, and duplicating work were done by the Crop Reporting Service staff.

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POULTRY INDUSTRY IN ILLINOIS

The Poultry Industry in Illinois is an important source of farm income. Even though the percent of total farm income attributed to poultry has remained relatively stable during the past decade, poultry raising has been no less dynamic than its counterparts in agriculture and many changes have taken place in the industry.

CHICKENS OF TODAY MORE PRODUCTIVE

Such things as custom hatching, the small farm incubator, and on most farms the old setting hen have, with the passing of time, virtually disappeared. Fancy and odd breeds of chickens, once so popular, have been replaced by less colorful, but more efficient and productive types of hybrids and cross-breeds. Although the so-called farm flocks are still very much in evidence today, the number of farms raising chickens is showing an ever decreasing number.

TURKEY CONSUMPTION INCREASES

The turkey, a native American bird, has come in for its share of improvements also. There is no domesticated animal with seemingly less sense and more obstinacy than the turkey. It was that in the wild state, in the early domesticated culture, and still is so in 1958, with all its fine breeding. Once turkeys were a luxury to be enjoyed only at Thanksgiving and Christmas, whereas now the serving of them all through the year has become rather commonplace as a result of better marketing and storage facilities. Turkey broilers, and the ever increasingly popular out-door family barbecues, have helped increase the demand for turkeys during the so-called slack season.

POULTRY RAISING BECOMES SPECIALIZED

Like other segments of agriculture, the trend in poultry raising is towards more specialization. This specialization has been accompanied not only by more efficiency in the use of feeds and physical assets, but also in a more productive utilization of labor and time. Caged layer and broiler operations are both very specialized and are increasing in popularity. Eggs per layer have increased sharply, while the amount of feed required to produce a pound of meat or a dozen eggs has shown a substantial decline. Improved strains of birds, better management and feeds, and more effective preventative and control measures of parasites and diseases, must come in for their share of credit.

POULTRY MARKETING MORE EFFECTIVE

More effective and orderly marketing, and new and improved methods in processing and retailing of birds have certainly contributed much to the poultry industry. Attractive packaging of the finished product is a far cry from the poultry display of yesterday, with ungraded, loose eggs, and whole unwrapped birds.

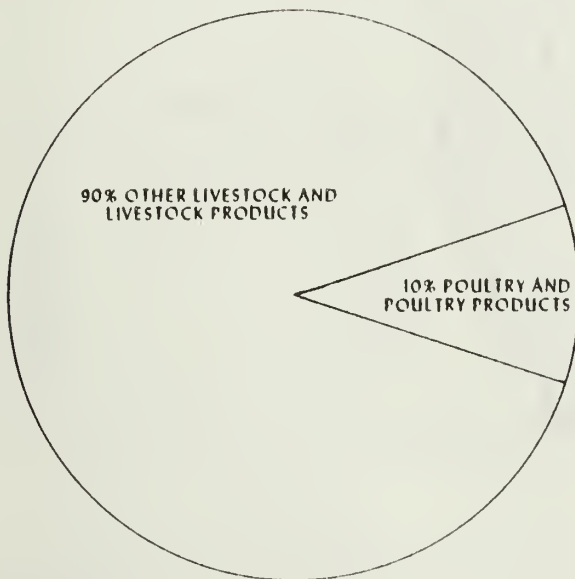
COMMERCIAL HATCHERIES DECLINE

Chicken hatcheries have been reduced to 50 percent of their number ten years ago. Many of the small custom and seasonal hatcheries of a decade ago have been absorbed by other hatcheries in the State. The result is that the total egg capacity of hatcheries, although down from ten years ago, does not show near the decline that hatcheries do. Even our hatcheries are becoming specialized to the extent that several of them deal only in broilers or in egg type birds, although many still hatch both types. There is also a popular trend for hatcherymen to have their own supply flocks, which not only assures them of a supply of hatching eggs, but also allows them closer

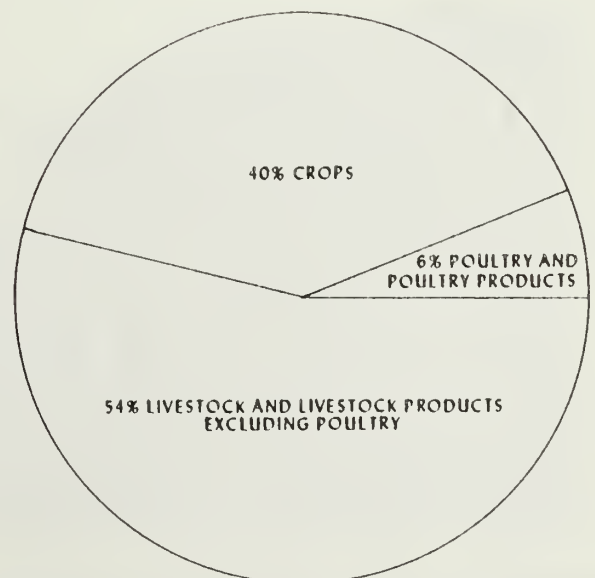
supervision of breeding stock and affords them in many cases, better hatchability of eggs. Turkey hatcheries too, have decreased in numbers and to some extent, have become specialized. Some hatcheries deal only in heavy or light breed birds, especially where the hatcherymen have their own hatching egg supply flocks.

HEADWAY HAS BEEN MADE BUT PROBLEMS EXIST

It is sometimes difficult to say if all the improvements in the poultry industry were brought about by specialization or if specialization came about as a result of the improvements. However, the important thing is that the end product has been progress. Problems still exist in the poultry industry, but these will be solved. A half century shows the advances made when heads plan what muscles must do.

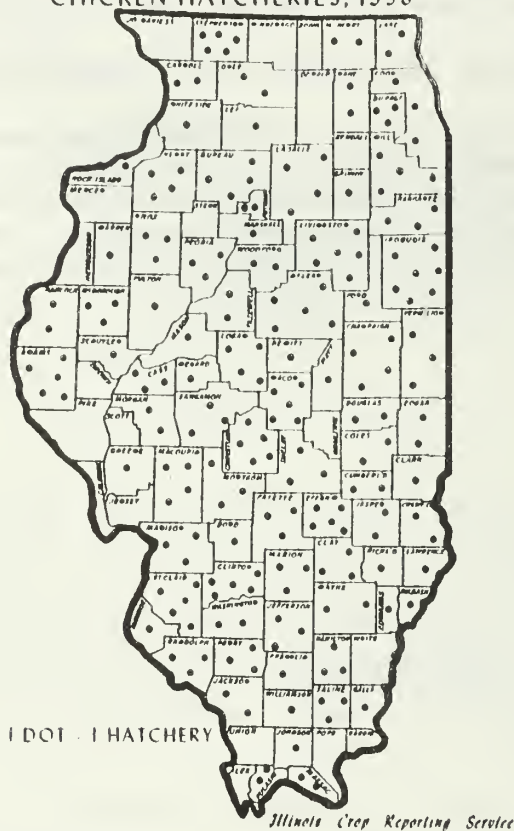


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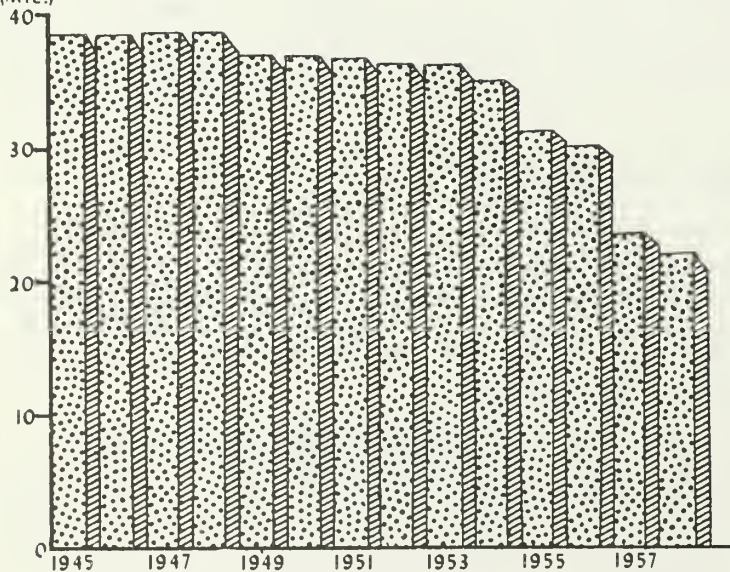


FARM INCOME: DISTRIBUTION OF CASH RECEIPTS
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ILLINOIS, 1950-54 AVERAGE

LOCATION AND NUMBER OF COMMERCIAL CHICKEN HATCHERIES, 1958

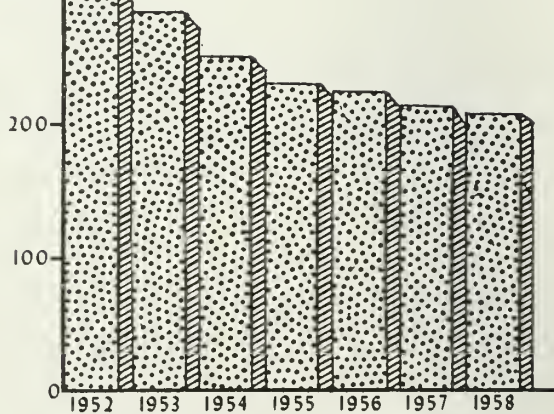


EGG CAPACITY (MIL.)



EGG CAPACITY OF INCUBATORS IN COMMERCIAL HATCHERIES, ILLINOIS, 1945-58

NUMBER OF HATCHERIES



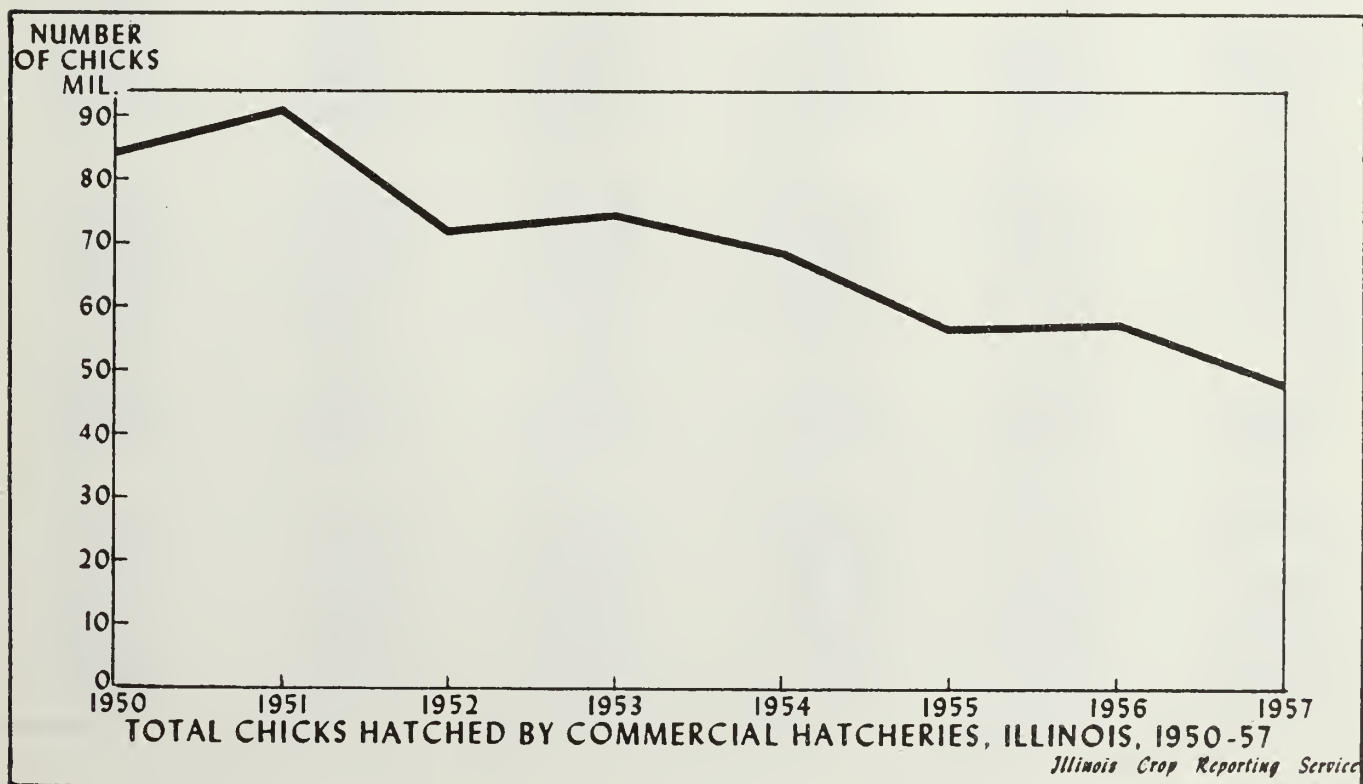
NUMBER OF COMMERCIAL HATCHERIES, ILLINOIS, 1952-58

CHICKS HATCHED: Number hatched by commercial hatcheries, Illinois, monthly, 1950-57

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
THOUSANDS												
1950	3,289	7,928	16,783	18,976	15,433	5,398	3,711	3,036	2,530	2,867	2,614	1,771
1951	2,085	7,887	16,318	20,851	18,132	7,887	5,077	3,626	2,720	2,629	1,813	1,632
1952	3,371	8,893	15,920	17,498	12,048	4,159	1,936	1,578	1,649	1,649	1,506	1,506
1953	3,869	8,259	16,221	16,668	12,873	4,167	2,158	2,232	1,563	1,860	2,307	2,232
1954	3,660	9,548	18,344	17,139	9,669	3,373	1,735	1,250	926	1,126	944	934
1955	2,112	6,094	12,124	14,424	8,990	3,548	2,011	1,435	1,193	1,446	1,614	1,614
1956	3,269	7,825	12,423	12,815	9,006	3,628	1,929	1,602	1,416	1,382	1,345	1,255
1957	2,842	5,872	10,801	11,346	6,590	2,577	1,565	1,242	1,304	1,299	1,251	1,355

PRICES PAID: Average prices paid by farmers, per hundred for baby chicks, Illinois, 1950-57.

Year	Straight run	Sexed pullets	Sexed cockrels
DOLLARS			
1950	15.00	25.50	7.20
1951	15.50	24.50	9.40
1952	16.50	26.00	9.40
1953	16.50	26.50	9.70
1954	17.00	32.00	8.50
1955	17.50	34.50	9.00
1956	18.00	36.00	8.40
1957	17.00	34.50	9.00



CHICKENS: Number on farms, by counties, Illinois, 1950-58

District and County	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954
	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number
Northwest					
Bureau	314,700	304,000	305,000	285,000	285,000
Carroll	200,800	190,000	186,000	180,000	180,000
Henry	359,600	334,000	335,000	307,000	308,000
Jo Daviess	263,700	253,000	252,000	234,000	243,000
Lee	245,800	233,000	234,000	219,000	215,000
Mercer	170,800	163,000	158,000	145,000	145,000
Ogle	302,700	285,000	285,000	264,000	266,000
Putnam	45,000	44,000	48,000	46,000	46,000
Rock Island	188,800	175,000	173,000	159,000	161,000
Stephenson	371,600	351,000	353,000	337,000	337,000
Whiteside	344,700	326,000	320,000	300,000	300,000
Winnebago	188,800	178,000	178,000	169,000	171,000
District	2,997,000	2,836,000	2,827,000	2,645,000	2,657,000
Northeast					
Boone	120,000	115,000	104,000	105,000	103,000
Cook	242,600	225,000	206,000	190,000	185,000
De Kalb	260,100	255,000	247,000	248,000	275,000
Du Page	177,600	170,000	165,000	146,000	142,000
Grundy	147,500	141,000	134,000	128,000	131,000
Kane	222,600	208,000	197,000	188,000	194,000
Kendall	160,100	153,000	145,000	139,000	140,000
Lake	187,600	181,000	173,000	163,000	161,000
LaSalle	400,200	387,000	374,000	358,000	364,000
McHenry	267,600	250,000	233,000	220,000	219,000
Will	315,100	303,000	290,000	284,000	296,000
District	2,501,000	2,388,000	2,268,000	2,169,000	2,210,000
West					
Adams	295,100	267,000	249,000	232,000	228,000
Brown	96,700	89,000	83,000	77,000	77,000
Fulton	245,000	229,000	216,000	203,000	201,000
Hancock	268,400	246,000	227,000	211,000	207,000
Henderson	85,000	78,000	71,000	65,000	63,000
Knox	235,000	217,000	203,000	191,000	190,000
McDonough	173,400	159,000	147,000	136,000	133,000
Schuyler	118,400	109,000	102,000	94,000	93,000
Warren	150,000	136,000	125,000	121,000	121,000
District	1,667,000	1,530,000	1,423,000	1,330,000	1,313,000
Central					
De Witt	130,000	112,000	104,000	92,000	92,000
Logan	253,600	226,000	216,000	201,000	196,000
McLean	433,900	412,000	418,000	400,000	410,000
Macon	186,500	167,000	155,000	135,000	124,000
Marshall	144,600	138,000	139,000	134,000	132,000
Mason	121,600	107,000	101,000	92,000	90,000
Menard	111,100	94,000	86,000	76,000	70,000
Peoria	209,600	192,000	186,000	173,000	173,000
Stark	83,800	77,000	75,000	70,000	71,000
Tazewell	205,400	191,000	190,000	181,000	185,000
Woodford	215,900	204,000	210,000	206,000	222,000
District	2,096,000	1,920,000	1,880,000	1,760,000	1,765,000
East					
Champaign	310,900	306,000	297,000	278,000	283,000
Ford	214,000	219,000	217,000	213,000	223,000
Iroquois	527,200	532,000	525,000	506,000	522,000
Kankakee	241,100	238,000	230,000	210,000	210,000
Livingston	567,800	589,000	592,000	587,000	609,000
Platt	128,400	124,000	117,000	108,000	105,000
Vermillion	263,600	248,000	232,000	207,000	193,000
District	2,253,000	2,256,000	2,210,000	2,109,000	2,145,000

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CHICKENS: Number on farms, by counties, Illinois, 1950-58, continued

District and County	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954
	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number
West Southwest					
Bond	208,500	186,000	177,000	169,000	172,000
Calhoun	101,400	92,000	86,000	82,000	84,000
Cass	101,400	90,000	85,000	85,000	84,000
Christian	236,600	207,000	198,000	190,000	188,000
Greene	171,800	150,000	137,000	132,000	130,000
Jersey	126,800	115,000	110,000	106,000	108,000
Macoupin	363,400	318,000	290,000	280,000	276,000
Madison	419,700	371,000	346,000	329,000	329,000
Montgomery	343,700	308,000	302,000	301,000	307,000
Morgan	191,600	163,000	146,000	136,000	127,000
Pike	233,800	208,000	187,000	178,000	173,000
Sangamon	239,400	300,000	383,000	304,000	367,000
Scott	78,900	69,000	63,000	56,000	52,000
District	2,817,000	2,575,000	2,510,000	2,348,000	2,397,000
East Southeast					
Clark	256,500	245,000	229,000	203,000	204,000
Clay	278,900	265,000	256,000	230,000	234,000
Coles	178,500	167,000	155,000	135,000	132,000
Crawford	193,300	180,000	169,000	147,000	145,000
Cumberland	219,400	209,000	198,000	180,000	180,000
Douglas	141,300	145,000	142,000	133,000	132,000
Edgar	171,000	163,000	152,000	132,000	132,000
Effingham	345,800	336,000	327,000	299,000	310,000
Fayette	409,000	389,000	369,000	329,000	333,000
Jasper	401,500	384,000	366,000	330,000	329,000
Lawrence	133,800	124,000	118,000	102,000	99,000
Marion	271,400	259,000	249,000	222,000	223,000
Moultrie	122,700	117,000	111,000	98,000	99,000
Richland	211,900	202,000	192,000	172,000	174,000
Shelby	383,000	355,000	330,000	286,000	279,000
District	3,718,000	3,540,000	3,363,000	2,998,000	3,005,000
Southwest					
Alexander	39,500	36,000	33,000	29,000	30,000
Clinton	373,700	371,000	358,000	325,000	340,000
Jackson	171,700	167,000	157,000	141,000	143,000
Johnson	102,100	95,000	87,000	74,000	73,000
Monroe	243,700	245,000	239,000	220,000	233,000
Perry	174,100	171,000	165,000	150,000	157,000
Pulaski	71,900	68,000	65,000	57,000	56,000
Randolph	271,600	266,000	252,000	225,000	229,000
St. Clair	322,600	330,000	325,000	302,000	322,000
Union	106,800	101,000	91,000	80,000	79,000
Washington	313,300	309,000	297,000	269,000	280,000
Williamson	130,000	116,000	101,000	78,000	70,000
District	2,321,000	2,275,000	2,170,000	1,950,000	2,012,000
Southeast					
Edwards	149,200	135,000	135,000	125,000	126,000
Franklin	164,400	144,000	137,000	126,000	124,000
Gallatin	138,400	118,000	109,000	97,000	91,000
Hamilton	276,900	240,000	229,000	209,000	203,000
Hardin	58,400	52,000	47,000	43,000	42,000
Jefferson	315,800	275,000	266,000	246,000	246,000
Massac	106,000	93,000	89,000	80,000	78,000
Pope	80,000	70,000	65,000	60,000	60,000
Saline	155,700	138,000	135,000	126,000	123,000
Wabash	84,400	73,000	72,000	68,000	67,000
Wayne	445,600	389,000	378,000	350,000	345,000
White	188,200	164,000	157,000	142,000	140,000
District	2,163,000	1,891,000	1,819,000	1,672,000	1,646,000
STATE	22,533,000	21,213,000	20,470,000	18,981,000	19,150,000

CHICKENS: Number on farms, Illinois, by counties, January 1, 1950-58

District and County	1955 Number	1956 Number	1957 Number	1958 Number
<u>Northwest</u>				
Bureau	285,000	290,000	300,000	271,000
Carroll	173,000	182,000	179,000	162,000
Henry	304,000	309,000	321,000	290,000
Jo Daviess	238,000	233,000	250,000	234,000
Lee	218,000	221,000	226,000	201,000
Mercer	136,000	128,000	140,000	123,000
Ogle	269,000	270,000	245,000	230,000
Putnam	44,000	45,000	39,000	34,000
Rock Island	155,000	166,000	158,000	145,000
Stephenson	335,000	347,000	322,000	294,000
Whiteside	297,000	301,000	303,000	290,000
Winnebago	170,000	170,000	150,000	143,000
District	2,624,000	2,662,000	2,633,000	2,417,000
<u>Northeast</u>				
Boone	103,000	103,000	103,000	86,000
Cook	166,000	164,000	161,000	140,000
De Kalb	288,000	302,000	312,000	274,000
Du Page	133,000	138,000	144,000	123,000
Grundy	127,000	118,000	101,000	88,000
Kane	196,000	190,000	183,000	159,000
Kendall	135,000	130,000	127,000	113,000
Lake	154,000	158,000	151,000	146,000
LaSalle	357,000	357,000	368,000	332,000
McHenry	207,000	206,000	211,000	184,000
Will	295,000	295,000	291,000	270,000
District	2,161,000	2,161,000	2,152,000	1,915,000
<u>West</u>				
Adams	215,000	209,000	221,000	205,000
Brown	70,000	65,000	67,000	60,000
Fulton	190,000	180,000	185,000	169,000
Hancock	193,000	185,000	192,000	176,000
Henderson	58,000	53,000	56,000	49,000
Knox	184,000	179,000	199,000	186,000
McDonough	123,000	118,000	127,000	115,000
Schuyler	86,000	83,000	79,000	73,000
Warren	110,000	108,000	115,000	107,000
District	1,229,000	1,180,000	1,241,000	1,140,000
<u>Central</u>				
De Witt	83,000	85,000	76,000	69,000
Logan	188,000	185,000	180,000	166,000
McLean	408,000	409,000	406,000	374,000
Macon	116,000	118,000	118,000	105,000
Marshall	127,000	132,000	138,000	141,000
Mason	86,000	84,000	76,000	69,000
Menard	62,000	70,000	62,000	53,000
Peoria	165,000	161,000	159,000	141,000
Stark	69,000	66,000	66,000	57,000
Tazewell	184,000	189,000	178,000	160,000
Woodford	226,000	229,000	272,000	281,000
District	1,714,000	1,728,000	1,731,000	1,616,000
<u>East</u>				
Champaign	282,000	272,000	273,000	257,000
Ford	228,000	224,000	230,000	224,000
Iroquois	531,000	522,000	565,000	578,000
Kankakee	207,000	204,000	207,000	203,000
Livingston	622,000	606,000	603,000	572,000
Platt	99,000	93,000	94,000	85,000
Vermillion	185,000	169,000	160,000	153,000
District	2,154,000	2,090,000	2,132,000	2,072,000

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CHICKENS: Number on farms, Illinois, by counties, January 1, 1950-58 continued

District and County	1955	1956	1957	1958
	Number	Number	Number	Number
West Southwest				
Bond	168,000	166,000	164,000	139,000
Calhoun	81,000	64,000	66,000	50,000
Cass	80,000	83,000	79,000	80,000
Christian	175,000	178,000	180,000	159,000
Greene	125,000	110,000	101,000	88,000
Jersey	102,000	102,000	88,000	74,000
Macoupin	259,000	237,000	239,000	211,000
Madison	314,000	304,000	307,000	275,000
Montgomery	301,000	298,000	292,000	288,000
Morgan	114,000	108,000	114,000	104,000
Pike	162,000	137,000	142,000	139,000
Sangamon	407,000	379,000	381,000	352,000
Scott	50,000	45,000	39,000	32,000
District	2,338,000	2,211,000	2,192,000	1,991,000
East Southeast				
Clark	198,000	185,000	193,000	175,000
Clay	225,000	223,000	227,000	207,000
Coles	124,000	119,000	114,000	101,000
Crawford	137,000	145,000	131,000	114,000
Cumberland	174,000	187,000	179,000	162,000
Douglas	128,000	119,000	122,000	109,000
Edgar	127,000	127,000	122,000	109,000
Effingham	306,000	303,000	312,000	294,000
Fayette	323,000	305,000	318,000	305,000
Jasper	322,000	311,000	331,000	302,000
Lawrence	93,000	88,000	91,000	95,000
Marion	213,000	212,000	219,000	202,000
Moultrie	95,000	83,000	94,000	101,000
Richland	168,000	158,000	154,000	159,000
Shelby	264,000	245,000	236,000	215,000
District	2,897,000	2,810,000	2,843,000	2,650,000
Southwest				
Alexander	29,000	25,000	33,000	35,000
Clinton	334,000	342,000	330,000	306,000
Jackson	137,000	135,000	140,000	138,000
Johnson	66,000	60,000	63,000	66,000
Monroe	233,000	235,000	232,000	216,000
Perry	153,000	157,000	160,000	144,000
Pulaski	54,000	50,000	45,000	39,000
Randolph	223,000	217,000	209,000	191,000
St. Clair	318,000	325,000	332,000	317,000
Union	73,000	70,000	67,000	56,000
Washington	275,000	295,000	302,000	281,000
Williamson	62,000	65,000	59,000	51,000
District	1,957,000	1,976,000	1,972,000	1,840,000
Southeast				
Edwards	116,000	111,000	131,000	134,000
Franklin	109,000	109,000	123,000	112,000
Gallatin	77,000	74,000	88,000	80,000
Hamilton	182,000	167,000	192,000	175,000
Hardin	39,000	30,000	33,000	29,000
Jefferson	219,000	196,000	208,000	181,000
Massac	70,000	62,000	77,000	70,000
Pope	52,000	52,000	52,000	46,000
Saline	114,000	95,000	99,000	90,000
Wabash	63,000	60,000	71,000	74,000
Wayne	313,000	293,000	317,000	290,000
White	125,000	120,000	131,000	119,000
District	1,479,000	1,369,000	1,522,000	1,400,000
STATE	18,553,000	18,187,000	18,418,000	17,041,000

CHICKENS: Value of chickens on farms, by counties, Illinois, January 1, 1950-58 1/

District and County	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954
- DOLLARS -					
Northwest					
Bureau	464,200	491,700	479,800	411,900	430,900
Carroll	296,200	307,300	292,600	260,100	272,100
Henry	530,400	540,300	527,000	443,700	465,600
Jo Daviess	389,000	409,200	396,400	338,200	367,400
Lee	362,600	376,900	368,100	316,500	325,000
Mercer	251,900	263,700	248,600	209,500	219,200
Ogle	446,500	461,000	448,300	381,500	402,200
Putnam	66,400	71,200	75,500	66,500	69,500
Rock Island	278,500	283,100	272,200	229,800	243,400
Stephenson	548,200	567,700	555,300	487,000	509,500
Whiteside	508,500	527,300	503,400	433,500	453,600
Winnebago	278,500	287,900	280,000	244,200	258,500
District	4,420,900	4,587,300	4,447,200	3,822,400	4,016,900
Northeast					
Boone	184,000	198,900	181,100	172,700	176,500
Cook	371,900	389,100	358,700	312,500	317,000
De Kalb	398,700	441,000	430,100	407,800	471,200
Du Page	272,300	294,000	287,300	240,100	243,300
Grundy	226,100	243,900	233,300	210,500	224,400
Kane	341,200	359,700	343,000	309,200	332,400
Kendall	245,400	264,600	252,500	228,600	239,900
Lake	287,600	313,000	301,300	268,000	275,800
LaSalle	613,500	669,300	651,300	588,700	623,700
McHenry	410,200	432,400	405,700	361,800	375,200
Will	483,000	524,000	505,000	467,000	507,200
District	3,833,900	4,129,900	3,949,300	3,566,900	3,786,600
West					
Adams	352,800	366,700	337,500	300,600	298,700
Brown	115,600	122,200	112,500	99,700	100,900
Fulton	292,900	314,500	292,800	263,000	263,400
Hancock	320,900	337,900	307,700	273,400	271,200
Henderson	101,600	107,100	96,200	84,200	82,500
Knox	280,900	298,000	275,200	247,500	248,900
McDonough	207,300	218,400	199,200	176,200	174,300
Schuyler	141,600	149,700	138,300	121,800	121,900
Warren	179,300	186,800	169,400	156,800	158,500
District	1,992,900	2,101,300	1,928,800	1,723,200	1,720,300
Central					
De Witt	161,700	165,200	155,400	123,800	129,800
Logan	315,400	333,400	322,700	270,400	276,600
McLean	539,600	607,700	624,500	538,200	578,500
Macon	232,000	246,300	231,600	181,600	175,000
Marshall	179,800	203,600	207,700	180,300	186,300
Mason	151,200	157,800	150,900	123,800	127,000
Menard	138,200	138,700	128,500	102,300	98,800
Peoria	260,700	283,200	277,900	232,800	244,100
Stark	104,200	113,600	112,000	94,200	100,200
Tazewell	255,500	281,800	283,800	243,500	261,000
Woodford	268,500	300,900	313,700	277,200	313,200
District	2,606,800	2,832,200	2,808,700	2,368,100	2,490,500
East					
Champaign	392,700	429,600	414,300	360,200	399,300
Ford	270,300	307,400	302,700	276,000	314,700
Iroquois	665,900	746,900	732,400	655,600	736,500
Kankakee	304,500	334,100	320,900	272,100	296,300
Livingston	717,100	826,900	825,900	760,500	859,300
Platt	162,200	174,100	163,200	139,900	148,200
Vermillion	332,900	348,200	323,600	268,200	272,300
District	2,845,600	3,167,200	3,083,000	2,732,500	3,026,600

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CHICKENS: Value of chickens on farms, by counties, Illinois, January 1, 1950-58 - continued

District and County	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954
- DOLLARS -					
West Southwest					
Bond	241,200	242,200	232,900	202,100	216,700
Calhoun	117,300	119,800	113,200	98,100	105,800
Cass	117,300	117,200	111,800	101,600	105,800
Christian	273,700	269,500	260,500	227,200	236,800
Greene	198,800	195,300	180,300	157,900	163,800
Jersey	146,700	149,700	144,700	126,800	136,100
Macoupin	420,400	414,100	381,600	334,900	347,700
Madison	485,600	483,100	455,300	393,500	414,500
Montgomery	397,600	401,100	397,400	360,000	386,800
Morgan	221,700	212,300	192,100	162,600	160,000
Pike	270,500	270,900	246,100	212,900	217,900
Sangamon	277,000	390,700	504,000	363,600	462,400
Scott	91,300	89,800	82,900	67,000	65,500
District	3,259,100	3,355,700	3,302,800	2,808,200	3,019,800
East Southeast					
Clark	269,600	294,100	283,200	242,800	246,700
Clay	293,100	318,100	316,600	275,100	283,000
Coles	187,600	200,500	191,700	161,400	159,700
Crawford	203,100	216,100	209,000	175,800	175,400
Cumberland	230,600	250,900	244,000	215,300	217,700
Douglas	148,500	174,100	175,600	159,100	159,700
Edgar	179,700	195,700	188,000	157,900	159,700
Effingham	363,400	403,300	404,400	357,600	374,900
Fayette	429,800	467,000	455,400	393,500	402,800
Jasper	421,900	461,000	452,600	394,700	397,900
Lawrence	140,600	148,800	145,900	122,000	119,700
Marion	285,200	310,900	307,900	265,500	269,700
Moultrie	128,900	140,400	137,300	117,200	119,700
Richland	222,700	242,500	237,500	205,700	210,400
Shelby	402,500	426,100	408,100	342,000	337,400
District	3,907,200	4,249,500	4,159,100	3,585,600	3,634,400
Southwest					
Alexander	44,600	47,200	43,400	33,300	34,800
Clinton	421,500	486,900	471,100	372,500	394,100
Jackson	193,700	219,200	206,600	161,600	165,700
Johnson	115,200	124,700	114,500	84,800	84,600
Monroe	274,900	321,500	314,500	252,200	270,100
Perry	196,400	224,400	217,100	171,900	182,000
Pulaski	81,100	89,200	85,500	65,300	64,900
Randolph	306,400	349,100	331,600	257,900	265,400
St. Clair	363,900	433,100	427,700	346,100	373,200
Union	120,500	132,600	119,800	91,700	91,600
Washington	353,400	405,500	390,800	308,300	324,500
Williamson	146,600	152,200	132,900	89,400	81,100
District	2,618,200	2,985,600	2,855,500	2,235,000	2,332,000
Southeast					
Edwards	153,900	163,400	157,600	137,100	139,700
Franklin	169,600	174,300	159,900	138,100	137,500
Gallatin	142,800	142,900	127,300	106,400	100,900
Hamilton	285,700	290,600	267,300	229,100	225,000
Hardin	60,200	63,000	54,900	47,100	46,600
Jefferson	325,800	332,900	310,500	269,700	272,700
Massac	109,400	112,600	103,900	87,700	87,600
Pope	82,500	84,700	75,900	65,800	66,500
Saline	160,600	167,100	157,600	138,100	136,400
Wabash	87,100	88,400	84,100	74,600	74,300
Wayne	459,700	470,900	441,300	383,700	382,500
White	194,100	198,500	183,300	155,700	155,200
District	2,231,400	2,289,300	2,123,600	1,833,100	1,824,900
STATE	27,716,000	29,698,000	28,658,000	24,675,000	25,852,000

CHICKENS: Value of chickens on farms, by counties, Illinois, January 1, 1950-58

District and County	1955	1956	1957	1958
- DOLLARS -				
<u>Northwest</u>				
Bureau	280,300	362,600	378,000	357,200
Carroll	170,100	227,600	225,500	213,500
Henry	299,000	386,400	404,400	382,300
Jo Daviess	234,100	291,300	315,000	308,500
Lee	214,400	276,300	284,700	265,000
Mercer	133,800	160,000	176,400	162,100
Ogle	264,600	337,600	308,700	303,200
Putnam	43,300	56,300	49,100	44,800
Rock Island	152,400	207,500	199,100	191,100
Stephenson	329,500	433,900	405,700	387,500
Whiteside	292,100	376,400	381,700	382,300
Winnebago	167,200	212,600	189,000	188,500
District	2,580,800	3,328,500	3,317,300	3,186,000
<u>Northeast</u>				
Boone	121,600	144,100	146,300	126,300
Cook	195,900	229,500	228,600	205,700
De Kalb	339,900	422,500	443,000	402,500
Du Page	157,000	193,100	204,500	180,700
Grundy	149,900	165,100	143,400	129,300
Kane	231,300	265,900	259,800	233,600
Kendall	159,300	181,900	180,300	166,000
Lake	181,800	221,100	214,400	214,500
LaSalle	421,300	499,500	522,500	487,700
McHenry	244,300	288,200	299,600	270,300
Will	348,200	412,800	413,200	396,700
District	2,550,500	3,023,700	3,055,600	2,813,300
<u>West</u>				
Adams	190,300	219,800	234,200	222,800
Brown	62,000	68,400	71,000	65,200
Fulton	168,200	189,300	196,100	183,700
Hancock	170,800	194,600	203,500	191,300
Henderson	51,300	55,800	59,400	53,200
Knox	162,900	188,300	210,900	202,100
McDonough	108,900	124,100	134,600	125,000
Schuyler	76,100	87,300	83,700	79,300
Warren	97,400	113,600	121,900	116,300
District	1,087,900	1,241,200	1,315,300	1,238,900
<u>Central</u>				
De Witt	77,500	97,800	82,800	79,800
Logan	175,700	213,000	196,200	192,100
McLean	381,200	470,800	442,500	432,800
Macon	108,400	135,800	128,600	121,500
Marshall	118,700	151,900	150,400	163,200
Mason	80,300	96,700	82,800	79,800
Menard	57,900	80,600	67,600	61,300
Peoria	154,200	185,300	173,300	163,200
Stark	64,500	76,000	71,900	66,000
Tazewell	171,900	217,600	194,000	185,100
Woodford	211,200	263,600	296,500	325,200
District	1,601,500	1,989,100	1,886,600	1,870,000
<u>East</u>				
Champaign	263,500	299,600	303,000	300,000
Ford	213,000	246,700	255,300	261,500
Iroquois	496,100	575,000	627,100	674,600
Kankakee	193,400	224,700	229,700	237,000
Livingston	581,200	667,500	669,300	667,600
Platt	92,500	102,400	104,300	99,200
Vermilion	172,900	186,200	177,600	178,600
District	2,012,600	2,302,100	2,366,300	2,418,500

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CHICKENS: Value of chickens on farms, by counties, Illinois, January 1, 1950-58 - continued

District and County	1955	1956	1957	1958
- DOLLARS -				
West Southwest				
Bond	140,500	174,600	168,900	151,100
Calhoun	67,700	67,300	68,000	54,300
Cass	66,900	87,300	81,400	86,900
Christian	146,300	187,200	185,400	172,800
Greene	104,500	115,700	104,000	95,600
Jersey	85,300	107,300	90,600	80,400
Macoupin	216,500	249,300	246,200	229,300
Madison	262,500	319,800	316,200	298,900
Montgomery	251,600	313,500	300,700	313,000
Morgan	95,300	113,600	117,400	113,000
Pike	135,400	144,100	146,200	151,100
Sangamon	340,200	398,700	392,400	382,500
Scott	41,800	47,300	40,200	34,800
District	1,954,500	2,325,700	2,257,600	2,163,700
East Southeast				
Clark	155,800	176,200	187,200	177,900
Clay	177,000	212,400	220,200	210,400
Coles	97,600	113,400	110,600	102,600
Crawford	107,800	138,100	127,100	115,900
Cumberland	136,900	178,100	173,600	164,600
Douglas	100,700	113,400	118,300	110,800
Edgar	99,900	121,000	118,300	110,800
Effingham	240,800	288,700	302,600	298,800
Fayette	254,100	290,600	308,400	310,000
Jasper	253,400	296,300	321,000	306,900
Lawrence	73,200	83,800	88,300	96,500
Marion	167,600	202,000	212,400	205,300
Moultrie	74,700	79,100	91,200	102,600
Richland	132,200	150,500	149,400	161,600
Shelby	207,700	233,400	228,900	218,500
District	2,279,400	2,677,000	2,757,500	2,693,200
Southwest				
Alexander	22,800	23,800	31,400	34,900
Clinton	262,800	325,800	313,500	304,800
Jackson	107,800	128,600	133,000	137,500
Johnson	51,900	57,200	59,800	65,700
Monroe	183,300	223,900	220,400	215,200
Perry	120,400	149,600	152,000	143,400
Pulaski	42,500	47,600	42,700	38,800
Randolph	175,500	206,700	198,500	190,300
St. Clair	250,200	309,600	315,400	315,800
Union	57,400	66,700	63,600	55,800
Washington	216,400	281,000	286,900	279,900
Williamson	48,800	61,900	56,000	50,800
District	1,539,800	1,882,400	1,873,200	1,832,900
Southeast				
Edwards	85,600	100,200	123,100	132,100
Franklin	80,400	98,400	115,600	110,400
Gallatin	56,800	66,800	82,700	78,900
Hamilton	134,200	150,800	180,500	172,600
Hardin	28,800	27,100	31,000	28,600
Jefferson	161,500	177,000	195,500	178,500
Massac	51,600	56,000	72,400	69,000
Pope	38,400	47,000	48,900	45,400
Saline	84,100	85,800	93,100	88,700
Wabash	46,500	54,200	66,700	73,000
Wayne	230,900	264,600	298,000	286,000
White	92,200	108,400	123,100	117,300
District	1,091,000	1,236,300	1,430,600	1,380,500
STATE	16,698,000	20,006,000	20,260,000	19,597,000

1/ Excludes commercial broilers.

CHICKENS: Number on farms, by class, Illinois, January 1, 1950-58

Year	Hens	Pullets	Others <u>1/</u>	All
- THOUSAND -				
1950	5,272	16,256	1,005	22,533
1951	5,588	14,630	995	21,213
1952	5,309	14,484	677	20,470
1953	5,521	12,891	569	18,981
1954	4,693	13,922	535	19,150
1955	4,411	13,644	498	18,553
1956	5,293	12,416	478	18,187
1957	4,975	13,161	282	18,418
1958	5,522	11,318	251	17,041

1/ Excludes broilers.

FARM CHICKENS: Production and income, Illinois, 1950-57

Year	Number produced	Pounds produced	Price per pound	Gross income <u>1/</u>
	Thous.	Thous.	Cents	Thous. dols.
1950	25,513	115,599	22.0	26,768
1951	25,901	116,871	24.3	29,230
1952	22,136	99,109	22.1	23,417
1953	22,387	103,717	21.2	21,816
1954	22,951	102,400	15.6	16,403
1955	18,563	84,135	17.9	15,368
1956	20,154	88,178	15.0	13,071
1957	13,500	61,985	12.3	8,454

1/ Includes consumption in households of producers which is less than 1 percent of total production.

COMMERCIAL BROILERS: Production and income, Illinois, 1950-57.

Year	Number produced	Pounds produced	Price per pound	Gross income <u>1/</u>
	Thous.	Thous.	Cents	Thous. dols.
1950	10,177	29,513	29.0	8,559
1951	10,177	29,513	30.0	8,854
1952	10,381	31,143	29.8	9,281
1953	9,654	29,927	28.3	8,469
1954	9,148	27,444	24.0	6,587
1955	8,691	26,073	25.2	6,570
1956	9,126	28,291	20.1	5,686
1957	8,337	26,678	18.7	4,989

1/ Includes consumption in households of producers which is less than 1 percent of total production.

ALL CHICKENS, PRICES: Average prices received by farmers at local markets, Illinois, monthly, 1950-57

Year	Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15
Cents per pound												
1950	22.7	24.2	25.4	27.2	25.0	22.0	24.5	26.1	24.4	22.7	22.6	24.0
1951	26.2	29.4	30.7	32.3	31.1	28.1	27.9	26.1	24.6	24.3	23.0	24.2
1952	27.2	28.7	28.2	27.5	24.0	25.6	25.7	25.5	25.9	24.6	25.2	26.6
1953	27.2	28.2	30.1	29.8	28.9	26.2	25.5	24.2	23.3	22.1	23.4	22.6
1954	22.2	23.2	23.9	21.2	20.5	19.2	17.8	18.3	16.6	16.2	15.7	15.7
1955	17.3	20.7	23.5	22.9	22.7	22.4	22.1	19.2	19.7	18.9	18.8	18.5
1956	20.0	20.3	21.5	19.9	19.9	18.0	18.1	16.7	14.6	13.9	13.3	13.2
1957	14.8	15.2	15.6	15.7	14.3	14.9	15.0	14.9	13.9	12.9	12.7	13.3

FARM CHICKEN PRICES: Average prices received by farmers at local markets, Illinois, monthly, 1950-57

Year	Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15
Cents per pound												
1950	20.0	21.0	21.0	22.0	20.0	20.0	22.0	25.0	23.0	21.0	21.0	22.0
1951	24.0	27.0	28.0	29.0	29.0	26.0	26.0	25.0	23.0	23.0	21.0	22.0
1952	22.5	23.0	23.0	23.0	21.0	22.0	22.0	22.0	23.0	22.0	21.0	22.0
1953	23.0	23.0	25.0	25.5	26.0	22.0	22.0	21.0	21.0	19.0	19.0	19.0
1954	20.0	21.5	22.5	19.0	18.0	16.5	14.5	15.0	14.0	14.0	13.0	13.0
1955	14.0	17.0	20.0	18.0	19.0	19.0	19.0	17.0	13.0	18.0	18.0	18.0
1956	19.0	19.0	19.0	19.0	19.0	17.0	16.0	15.5	13.5	13.0	12.0	12.0
1957	13.0	12.5	12.5	13.0	11.5	12.0	12.0	13.0	12.5	12.0	11.7	12.1

COMMERCIAL BROILERS, PRICES: Average prices received by farmers at local markets, Illinois, monthly, 1950-57

Year	Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15
Cents per pound												
1950	25.0	26.5	29.5	33.0	32.0	27.0	30.0	30.0	30.0	29.0	27.5	27.0
1951	28.0	31.0	33.0	35.0	33.0	31.0	31.0	29.0	29.0	28.0	27.0	27.0
1952	29.0	30.0	30.0	29.0	26.0	29.0	30.0	32.0	32.0	29.0	31.0	30.0
1953	29.0	29.0	31.0	31.0	30.0	29.0	29.0	27.0	27.0	27.0	26.0	25.0
1954	25.5	24.5	25.0	24.5	24.5	23.5	23.5	24.5	24.0	23.5	23.0	22.0
1955	23.0	26.0	28.0	29.0	27.0	27.0	25.0	26.0	26.0	23.0	23.0	20.0
1956	21.5	22.0	23.0	21.0	21.5	20.0	22.5	20.5	18.0	17.5	18.0	17.0
1957	18.0	19.0	19.5	19.0	19.0	21.0	21.5	21.0	18.0	16.5	16.5	17.0

PRICES: Average prices paid by farmers per hundred pounds for laying mash, Illinois, monthly 1950-57

Year	Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15
- DOLLARS -												
1950	4.50	4.40	4.45	4.50	4.70	4.70	4.85	4.85	4.70	4.65	4.70	4.80
1951	4.95	5.00	5.10	5.10	5.10	5.00	5.10	5.00	5.00	5.10	5.20	5.30
1952	5.40	5.40	5.40	5.40	5.40	5.40	5.40	5.40	5.50	5.40	5.30	5.30
1953	5.20	5.10	5.10	5.00	5.00	5.00	4.95	4.90	4.90	4.85	4.75	4.90
1954	4.95	5.00	5.10	5.20	5.30	5.20	5.10	5.10	5.10	4.95	4.90	4.90
1955	4.95	5.00	4.95	4.90	4.90	4.85	4.80	4.75	4.65	4.70	4.60	4.55
1956	4.60	4.60	4.55	4.65	4.85	4.85	4.85	4.85	4.80	4.75	4.70	4.75
1957	4.75	4.80	4.75	4.75	4.70	4.70	4.65	4.70	4.70	4.65	4.60	4.55

PRICES: Average prices paid by farmers per hundred pounds for scratch grain, Illinois, monthly, 1950-57

Year	Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15
- DOLLARS -												
1950	3.75	3.80	3.90	4.00	4.15	4.15	4.20	4.20	4.25	4.20	4.25	4.30
1951	4.50	4.55	4.75	4.75	4.75	4.75	4.70	4.65	4.65	4.60	4.65	4.75
1952	4.80	4.80	4.90	4.85	4.90	4.85	4.85	4.85	4.80	4.15	4.70	4.65
1953	4.65	4.55	4.55	4.55	4.55	4.55	4.55	4.50	4.45	4.45	4.35	4.40
1954	4.45	4.50	4.55	4.55	4.55	4.55	4.50	4.50	4.55	4.50	4.45	4.45
1955	4.45	4.60	4.55	4.55	4.55	4.55	4.55	4.50	4.40	4.35	4.25	4.20
1956	4.15	4.10	4.10	4.30	4.50	4.45	4.50	4.55	4.45	4.40	4.35	4.35
1957	4.30	4.35	4.35	4.40	4.40	4.35	4.35	4.35	4.30	4.20	4.20	4.20

PRICES: Average prices paid by farmers per hundred pounds for broiler growing mash, Illinois, monthly, 1953-57

Year	Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15
- DOLLARS -												
1953	5.40	5.40	5.30	5.30	5.20	5.20	5.20	5.10	5.20	5.10	5.10	5.20
1954	5.30	5.40	5.40	5.40	5.60	5.40	5.40	5.40	5.40	5.30	5.20	5.20
1955	5.30	5.30	5.30	5.20	5.20	5.10	5.10	5.00	4.95	4.95	4.90	4.90
1956	4.85	4.90	4.85	4.95	5.20	5.10	5.20	5.10	5.10	5.00	4.95	5.00
1957	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	4.95	4.95	4.90	4.90

PRICE RATIO: Ratio of prices received for broilers to prices paid for broiler feed, Illinois, monthly, 1953-57 ^{1/}

Year	Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15
1953	5.6	5.6	6.0	6.2	6.2	5.6	5.6	5.3	5.2	5.3	5.1	5.0
1954	4.8	4.5	4.6	4.5	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.5	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.2
1955	4.3	4.9	5.3	5.6	5.2	5.3	4.9	5.2	5.3	4.6	4.7	4.1
1956	4.4	4.5	4.7	4.2	4.1	3.9	4.3	4.0	3.5	3.5	3.6	3.4
1957	3.6	3.8	3.9	3.8	3.8	4.2	4.3	4.2	3.6	3.3	3.4	3.5

^{1/} Pounds of broiler growing mash equal in value to one pound broiler live weight.

PRICE RATIO: Ratio of prices received by farmers for farm chickens to prices paid for chicken feed, Illinois, monthly, 1953-1957 ^{1/}

Year	Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15
1953	6.2	6.5	6.9	7.2	7.3	6.4	6.4	6.1	6.0	5.7	5.7	5.4
1954	5.7	6.1	6.3	5.3	4.9	4.6	4.1	4.2	3.9	4.0	3.8	3.7
1955	4.0	4.9	5.8	5.3	5.6	5.6	5.8	5.4	5.9	5.9	6.0	5.9
1956	6.2	6.2	6.1	5.9	5.6	5.0	4.7	4.5	4.0	4.1	3.7	3.6
1957	4.0	3.9	3.9	4.0	3.6	3.8	3.8	4.1	4.0	3.9	3.9	4.0

^{1/} Pounds of poultry feed equal in value to one pound of chicken live weight.

PRICE RATIO: Ratio of prices received for eggs to prices paid for feed, Illinois, monthly, 1950-57 ^{1/}

Year	Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15
1950	8.3	8.5	9.0	8.2	7.6	7.5	7.9	8.9	9.7	10.8	11.4	14.7
1951	9.4	9.8	10.5	10.3	10.7	10.4	10.4	10.7	12.9	12.9	12.5	10.8
1952	8.6	7.7	7.3	7.5	7.4	7.8	8.5	10.2	10.3	11.3	12.3	10.6
1953	10.6	10.8	11.3	11.7	12.0	11.6	11.6	12.1	12.6	13.7	12.8	11.9
1954	11.7	11.5	9.5	7.9	7.7	7.5	7.0	8.5	7.5	6.9	7.5	7.5
1955	7.4	10.3	10.2	9.1	8.5	8.0	7.9	9.3	11.4	10.9	12.2	13.1
1956	12.8	11.6	11.4	10.8	10.1	9.4	9.1	8.1	8.8	9.5	9.3	9.4
1957	8.2	8.4	8.0	8.0	7.8	7.9	7.9	8.5	10.2	11.8	12.9	13.0

^{1/} Pounds of poultry feed equal in value to one dozen eggs.

SALES: All Chickens, broilers and eggs sold, by counties, Illinois, 1950-54 average

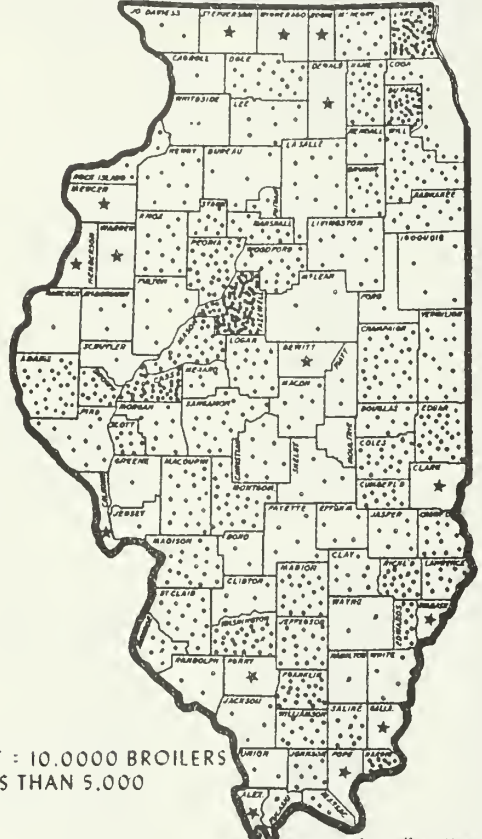
District and County	All Chickens (Head)	Broilers (Head)	Eggs (000)
Northwest			
Bureau	469,000	40,000	43,000
Carroll	217,000	9,000	24,000
Henry	463,000	75,000	47,000
Jo Daviess	240,000	20,000	33,500
Lee	362,000	66,000	33,700
Mercer	191,000	2,000	18,600
Ogle	377,000	172,000	38,700
Putnam	75,000	20,000	6,100
Rock Island	278,000	41,000	22,000
Stephenson	325,000	-	50,000
Whiteside	380,000	13,000	47,700
Winnebago	217,000	-	23,500
District	3,594,000	458,000	387,800
Northeast			
Boone	145,000	2,000	13,900
Cook	457,000	110,000	26,600
De Kalb	376,000	-	38,200
Du Page	469,000	294,000	23,600
Grundy	252,000	108,000	18,500
Kane	388,000	190,000	26,300
Kendall	217,000	27,000	21,700
Lake	707,000	481,000	22,600
LaSalle	544,000	107,000	58,900
McHenry	371,000	127,000	33,000
Will	568,000	236,000	44,200
District	4,494,000	1,682,000	327,500
West			
Adams	420,000	285,000	31,900
Brown	145,000	114,000	8,600
Fulton	284,000	57,000	28,000
Hancock	280,000	8,000	27,600
Henderson	101,000	3,000	8,000
Knox	313,000	121,000	23,600
McDonough	226,000	33,000	17,700
Schuyler	130,000	8,000	10,700
Warren	188,000	4,000	18,900
District	2,067,000	633,000	175,000
Central			
De Witt	174,000	3,000	12,100
Logan	336,000	131,000	25,700
McLean	350,000	27,000	65,900
Macon	229,000	59,000	17,400
Marshall	237,000	93,000	19,900
Mason	290,000	217,000	11,200
Menard	133,000	43,000	8,200
Peoria	423,000	274,000	27,000
Stark	139,000	82,000	8,300
Tazewell	982,000	839,000	27,900
Woodford	411,000	152,000	30,400
District	3,704,000	1,920,000	254,000
East			
Champaign	521,000	284,000	38,000
Ford	272,000	12,000	31,500
Iroquois	666,000	35,000	85,000
Kankakee	376,000	100,000	30,300
Livingston	904,000	98,000	94,000
Platt	174,000	22,000	15,500
Vermilion	376,000	146,000	23,600
District	3,289,000	697,000	317,900

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SALES: All Chickens, broilers and eggs sold, by counties, Illinois, 1950-54 average, continued

District and County	All Chickens (Head)	Broilers (Head)	Eggs (000)
West Southwest			
Bond	145,000	16,000	23,600
Calhoun	69,000	-	9,400
Cass	513,000	355,000	9,600
Christian	261,000	80,000	28,800
Greene	127,000	5,000	16,900
Jersey	110,000	9,000	12,600
Macoupin	403,000	180,000	38,200
Madison	521,000	174,000	48,500
Montgomery	347,000	210,000	40,000
Morgan	226,000	76,000	15,000
Pike	223,000	98,000	18,700
Sangamon	475,000	163,000	41,900
Scott	98,000	78,000	8,900
District	3,518,000	1,444,000	312,100
East Southeast			
Clark	217,000	2,000	28,200
Clay	232,000	76,000	33,600
Coles	304,000	166,000	19,000
Crawford	203,000	109,000	19,600
Cumberland	220,000	87,000	255,000
Douglas	266,000	64,000	18,200
Edgar	348,000	263,000	16,100
Effingham	278,000	40,000	43,000
Fayette	281,000	49,000	46,000
Jasper	324,000	64,000	47,000
Lawrence	136,000	87,000	12,300
Marion	290,000	182,000	28,200
Moultrie	243,000	137,000	12,300
Richland	237,000	160,000	26,800
Shelby	342,000	42,000	42,600
District	3,921,000	1,528,000	418,400
Southwest			
Alexander	32,000	-	2,200
Clinton	278,000	41,000	44,000
Jackson	154,000	39,000	19,000
Johnson	96,000	73,000	10,000
Monroe	307,000	58,000	36,900
Perry	159,000	4,000	19,300
Pulaski	52,000	11,000	4,800
Randolph	229,000	32,000	32,000
St. Clair	423,000	139,000	44,500
Union	81,000	21,000	7,000
Washington	434,000	262,000	47,700
Williamson	156,000	123,000	12,000
District	2,401,000	803,000	279,400
Southeast			
Edwards	165,000	93,000	18,900
Franklin	266,000	207,000	18,300
Gallatin	101,000	4,000	12,600
Hamilton	116,000	8,000	28,400
Hardin	150,000	77,000	5,700
Jefferson	405,000	166,000	33,000
Massac	87,000	32,000	11,400
Pope	41,000	-	8,200
Saline	177,000	88,000	18,300
Wabash	72,000	-	9,600
Wayne	261,000	23,000	49,600
White	128,000	44,000	16,600
District	1,969,000	742,000	230,600
STATE	28,957,000	9,907,000	2,702,700

BROILERS SOLD, 1950-54 AVERAGE



1 DOT = 10,000 BROILERS
★ LESS THAN 5,000

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OTHER CHICKENS SOLD, 1950-54 AVERAGE



1 DOT = 10,000 CHICKENS
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EGGS SOLD, 1950-54 AVERAGE



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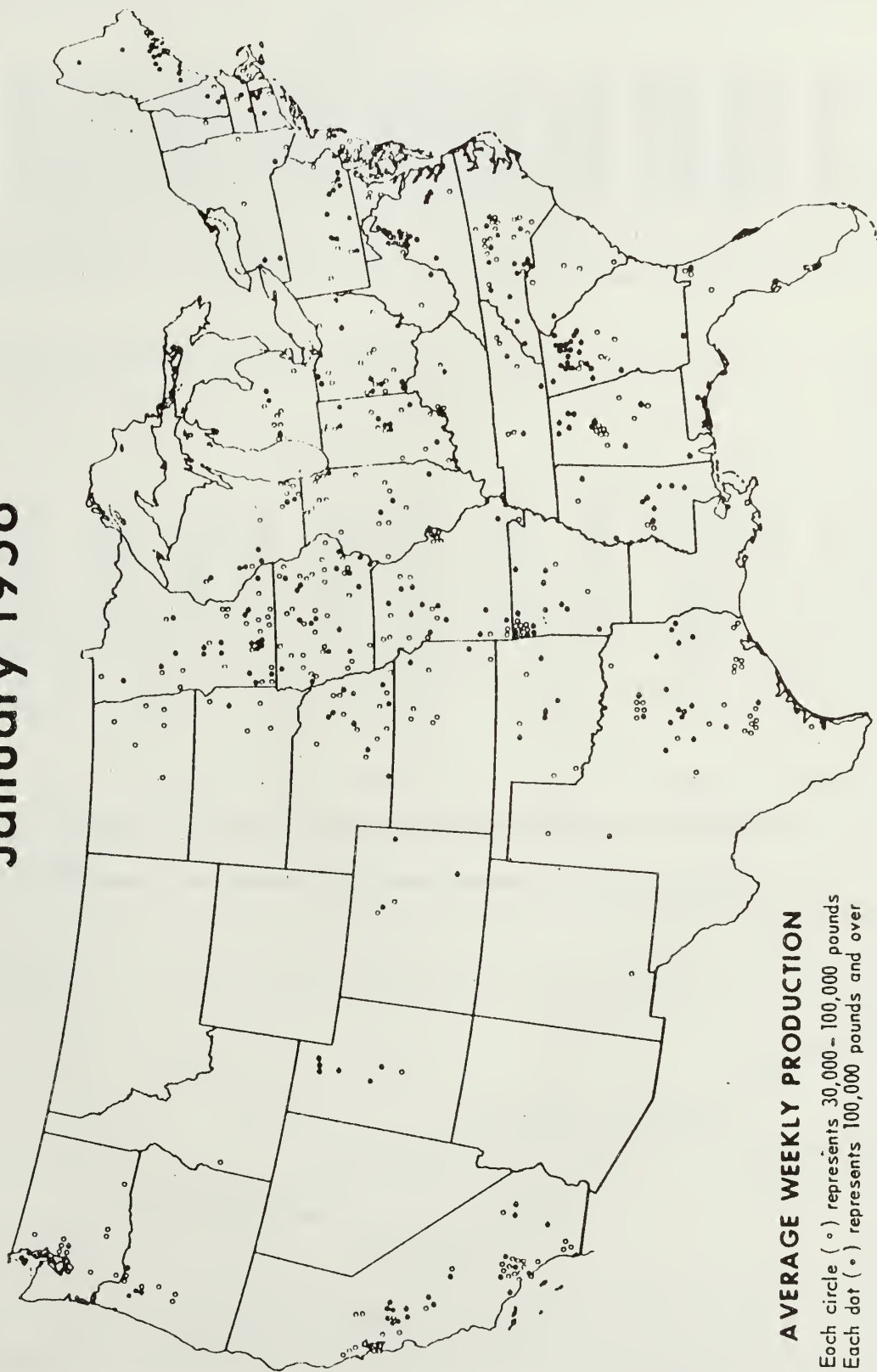


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AVERAGE WEEKLY PRODUCTION

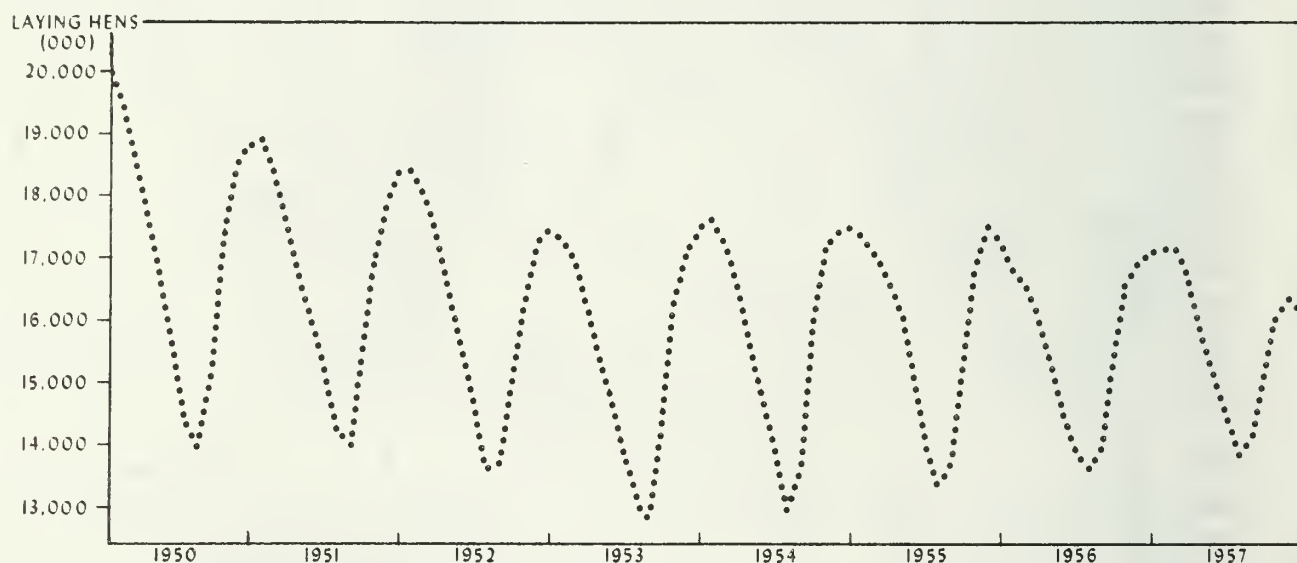
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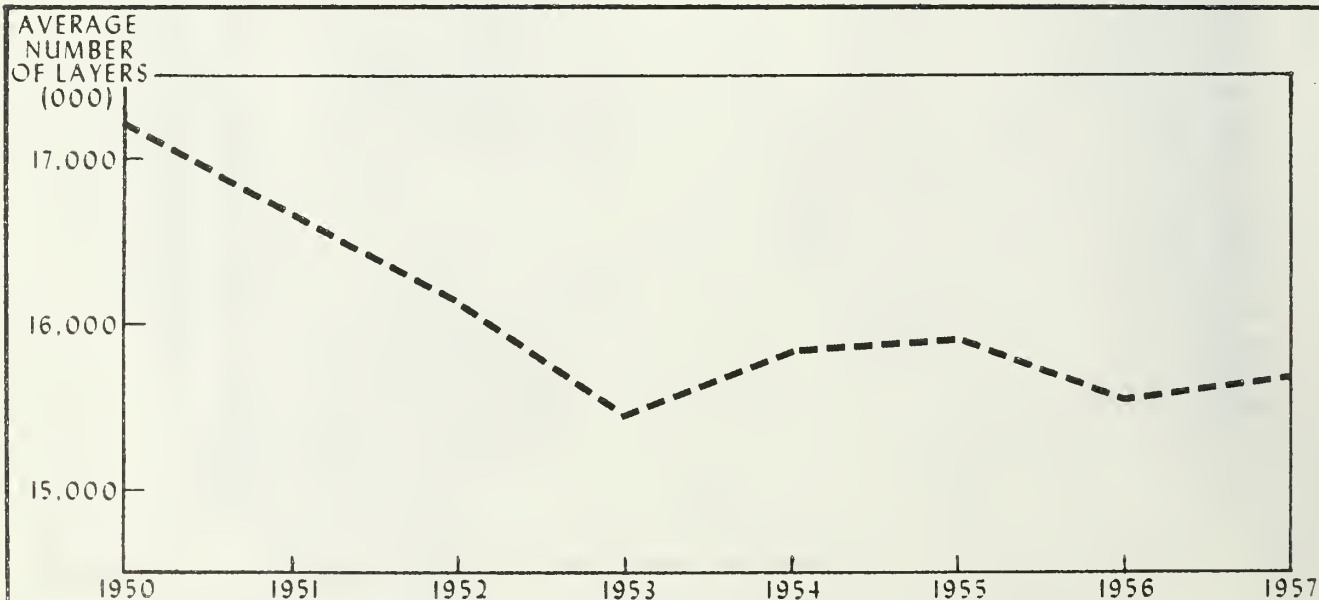
LAYING HENS: Number on farms, Illinois, monthly, 1950-57

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
- THOUSANDS -												
1950	20,061	19,422	18,622	17,815	16,845	15,640	14,435	13,950	15,150	17,354	18,516	18,838
1951	18,922	18,449	17,580	16,790	16,000	15,295	14,272	14,034	15,452	16,944	17,886	18,436
1952	18,442	17,992	17,390	16,491	15,592	14,619	13,646	13,720	14,918	16,340	17,234	17,452
1953	17,304	16,941	16,215	15,348	14,698	13,902	13,036	12,820	14,340	16,296	17,086	17,520
1954	17,667	17,243	16,533	15,532	14,676	13,968	12,972	13,609	15,812	17,162	17,444	17,513
1955	17,364	17,068	16,778	16,202	15,336	14,104	13,380	13,742	15,258	16,848	17,504	17,289
1956	16,782	16,664	16,092	15,293	14,553	13,896	13,635	13,922	15,288	16,540	16,938	17,103
1957	17,154	17,153	16,700	15,794	15,116	14,492	13,870	14,095	15,168	16,016	16,353	16,181



LAYING HENS: NUMBER OF LAYERS ON FARMS, ILLINOIS, MONTHLY, 1950-57

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AVERAGE NUMBER OF LAYERS DURING YEAR ILLINOIS, 1950-57

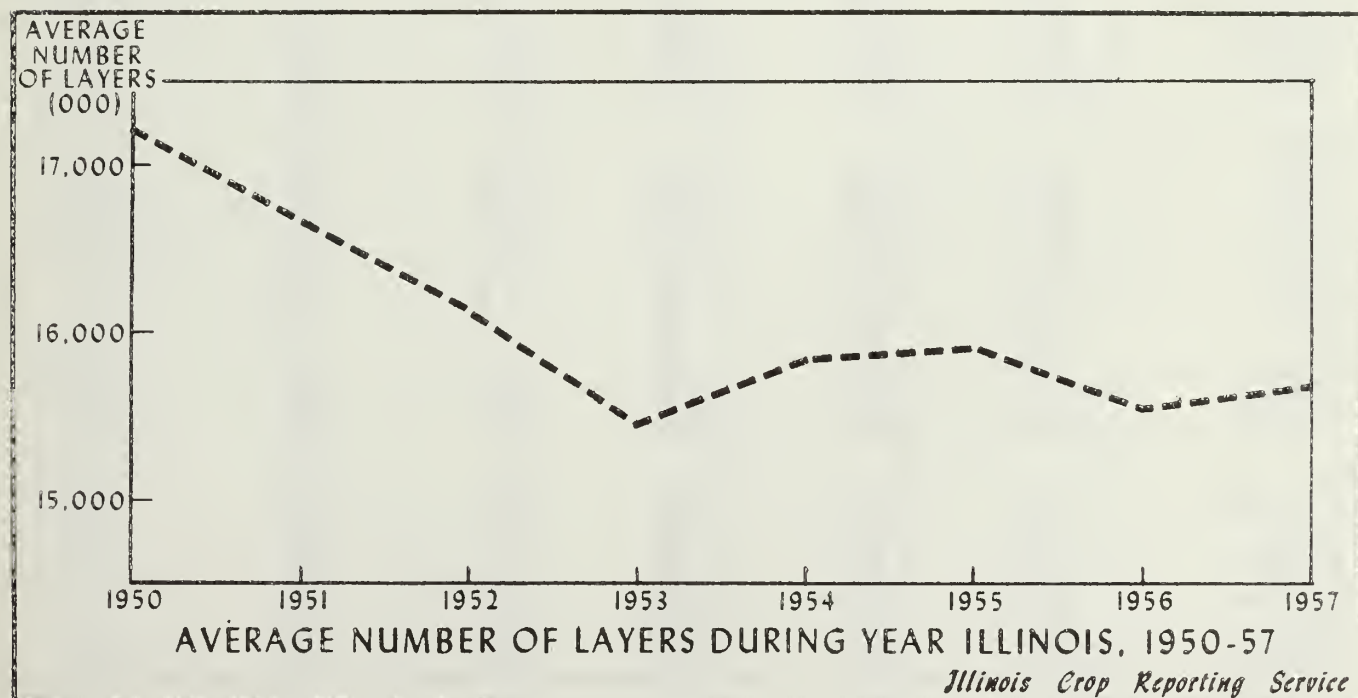
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EGGS: Monthly egg production per hundred layers, Illinois, 1950-57

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Monthly Average
- NUMBER -													
1950	1,426	1,406	1,730	1,808	1,851	1,658	1,538	1,376	1,173	1,119	1,080	1,203	1,447
1951	1,383	1,386	1,699	1,812	1,900	1,707	1,559	1,358	1,200	1,215	1,182	1,277	1,468
1952	1,438	1,540	1,814	1,842	1,869	1,650	1,507	1,370	1,254	1,265	1,681	1,414	1,521
1953	1,504	1,490	1,817	1,848	1,872	1,680	1,556	1,401	1,236	1,302	1,356	1,445	1,540
1954	1,494	1,495	1,848	1,860	1,897	1,674	1,488	1,348	1,289	1,348	1,368	1,491	1,546
1955	1,544	1,467	1,798	1,890	1,947	1,782	1,668	1,482	1,368	1,432	1,425	1,516	1,605
1956	1,581	1,601	1,857	1,878	1,941	1,779	1,702	1,562	1,404	1,469	1,446	1,538	1,640
1957	1,575	1,512	1,854	1,899	1,965	1,794	1,711	1,572	1,428	1,445	1,440	1,581	1,645

EGGS: Eggs produced per hundred layers, U. S. monthly, 1950-57

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Monthly Average
- NUMBER -													
1950	1,367	1,398	1,721	1,764	1,807	1,623	1,526	1,400	1,230	1,192	1,147	1,240	1,451
1951	1,386	1,423	1,738	1,782	1,828	1,665	1,561	1,412	1,258	1,238	1,202	1,288	1,482
1952	1,436	1,528	1,773	1,787	1,821	1,625	1,513	1,608	1,299	1,295	1,267	1,383	1,528
1953	1,502	1,490	1,797	1,803	1,813	1,663	1,589	1,481	1,341	1,357	1,339	1,424	1,550
1954	1,484	1,498	1,837	1,819	1,847	1,672	1,579	1,475	1,366	1,384	1,376	1,482	1,568
1955	1,548	1,491	1,800	1,844	1,900	1,751	1,672	1,537	1,417	1,444	1,412	1,492	1,609
1956	1,562	1,586	1,832	1,839	1,891	1,745	1,694	1,585	1,452	1,492	1,459	1,559	1,641
1957	1,602	1,539	1,861	1,872	1,918	1,772	1,714	1,613	1,481	1,478	1,447	1,574	1,654



CHICKENS: Number of chicken flocks by size groups, by counties, Illinois, 1957

District and County	Number of flocks					
	1-99	100-199	200-299	300-399	400-499	500+
Northwest						
Bureau	826	508	113	27	7	13
Carroll	303	311	81	20	11	7
Henry	760	562	113	18	14	10
Jo Daviess	459	460	92	22	9	4
Lee	489	301	57	19	5	5
Mercer	655	197	55	7	4	3
Ogle	446	415	106	25	11	11
Putnam	104	48	8	3	--	4
Rock Island	346	246	60	12	2	6
Stephenson	304	650	225	45	17	24
Whiteside	379	585	157	36	15	16
Winnebago	485	244	58	13	12	12
District	5,556	4,527	1,125	247	107	115
Northeast						
Boone	389	131	37	18	5	5
Cook	223	276	94	20	2	13
De Kalb	461	302	72	22	13	20
Du Page	175	83	33	18	6	9
Grundy	137	97	22	5	4	7
Kane	292	168	31	10	2	6
Kendall	137	146	38	16	10	13
Lake	210	131	40	19	10	19
LaSalle	798	427	114	31	19	19
McHenry	411	259	75	21	5	8
Will	413	285	130	42	8	11
District	3,646	2,305	686	222	84	130
West						
Adams	869	419	52	19	7	10
Brown	301	148	19	2	-	1
Fulton	970	311	20	7	1	3
Hancock	936	316	49	14	3	4
Henderson	358	114	7	1	-	1
Knox	785	340	37	12	4	11
McDonough	756	130	18	3	1	5
Schuyler	465	151	20	6	1	1
Warren	623	149	18	3	2	5
District	6,063	2,078	240	67	19	41
Central						
De Witt	349	113	12	6	2	2
Logan	457	298	67	16	6	3
McLean	978	466	153	53	31	39
Macon	451	134	32	6	3	1
Marshall	301	241	68	22	6	6
Mason	349	129	21	9	3	1
Menard	222	109	19	7	2	1
Peoria	564	252	68	19	5	7
Stark	182	107	30	5	5	5
Tazewell	510	207	53	24	8	11
Woodford	441	350	74	22	8	18
District	4,804	2,406	597	189	79	94
East						
Champaign	796	379	85	27	17	16
Ford	186	301	115	24	17	33
Iroquois	349	567	262	87	55	71
Kankakee	433	256	96	24	19	20
Livingston	497	627	230	115	65	128
Platt	333	139	32	15	2	--
Vermillion	799	179	35	10	-	3
District	3,393	2,448	855	302	175	271

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CHICKENS: Number of chicken flocks by size groups, by counties, Illinois, 1957 continued

District and County	Number of flocks					
	1-99	100-199	200-299	300-399	400-499	500+
West Southwest						
Bond	397	262	120	25	11	1
Calhoun	287	148	31	9	-	3
Cass	246	99	7	3	1	1
Christian	673	287	60	13	1	4
Greene	582	227	43	5	3	3
Jersey	291	140	39	3	-	4
Macoupin	851	374	65	17	5	7
Madison	713	506	169	46	16	19
Montgomery	459	469	188	34	17	14
Morgan	553	184	39	8	5	2
Pike	806	237	41	5	8	6
Sangamon	869	103	28	6	3	2
Scott	185	117	9	2	-	-
District	6,912	3,153	839	176	70	66
East Southeast						
Clark	504	321	122	24	5	9
Clay	278	268	129	23	6	3
Coles	429	143	48	11	1	5
Crawford	292	170	58	20	7	6
Cumberland	277	250	114	26	8	6
Douglas	302	132	43	16	3	4
Edgar	504	188	44	10	3	7
Effingham	221	457	290	61	23	21
Fayette	543	406	193	50	12	14
Jasper	354	427	250	69	14	17
Lawrence	309	121	36	14	6	5
Marion	567	340	154	42	13	7
Moultrie	328	171	34	13	4	5
Richland	257	280	100	17	7	12
Shelby	591	417	138	23	3	4
District	5,756	4,091	1,753	419	115	125
Southwest						
Alexander	119	6	4	--	1	1
Clinton	161	365	287	91	33	14
Jackson	563	266	87	25	4	4
Johnson	390	49	5	1	--	1
Monroe	208	324	163	57	21	18
Perry	485	293	77	15	4	4
Pulaski	319	45	9	4	--	-
Randolph	405	369	112	22	5	9
St. Clair	456	524	151	46	6	24
Union	619	110	19	4	1	3
Washington	272	407	238	58	15	17
Williamson	491	69	10	3	3	2
District	4,488	2,827	1,162	326	93	97
Southeast						
Edwards	225	189	68	20	6	5
Franklin	341	148	45	14	12	9
Gallatin	127	176	47	10	2	2
Hamilton	315	229	123	34	11	8
Hardin	248	53	14	1	1	1
Jefferson	676	329	61	4	1	1
Massac	258	161	23	4	1	1
Pope	319	83	9	2	-	-
Saline	302	110	43	8	1	1
Wabash	175	36	8	2	5	6
Wayne	547	513	186	16	4	5
White	491	212	54	8	1	-
District	4,024	2,239	681	123	45	39
STATE	44,642	26,074	7,938	2,071	787	978

Source: 1957 State Farm Census.

LAYERS: Average number of layers during year, by counties, Illinois, 1950-57

District and County	1950	1951	1952	1953
	Number	Number	Number	Number
Northwest				
Bureau	246,800	246,800	244,700	234,400
Carroll	155,900	152,400	151,800	148,100
Henry	276,700	271,100	266,300	252,900
Jo Daviess	206,100	204,600	201,600	196,200
Lee	191,000	189,200	187,900	178,500
Mercer	133,200	130,100	125,700	119,300
Ogle	234,500	231,000	227,700	218,000
Putnam	35,500	37,300	39,000	37,800
Rock Island	145,100	141,000	137,700	131,600
Stephenson	288,300	285,200	286,200	277,200
Whiteside	267,600	261,800	257,200	246,800
Winnebago	146,300	144,200	144,000	139,800
District	2,327,000	2,294,700	2,269,800	2,180,600
Northeast				
Boone	93,600	88,700	85,800	85,200
Cook	186,300	174,500	162,600	153,500
De Kalb	205,300	203,200	203,200	214,400
Du Page	138,500	135,600	127,700	117,900
Grundy	115,000	111,300	107,600	106,100
Kane	171,600	164,000	158,000	156,500
Kendall	124,800	120,600	116,600	114,300
Lake	146,900	143,300	137,900	132,700
La Salle	313,700	308,100	300,500	295,700
McHenry	206,300	195,500	186,000	179,800
Will	246,300	240,100	235,600	237,600
District	1,948,300	1,884,900	1,821,500	1,793,700
West				
Adams	218,900	205,500	196,700	185,300
Brown	72,300	68,500	65,400	62,000
Fulton	184,500	177,200	171,400	162,800
Hancock	200,300	188,300	179,200	168,400
Henderson	63,500	59,300	55,600	51,600
Knox	176,000	167,300	161,200	153,500
McDonough	129,400	121,900	115,800	108,400
Schuyler	88,500	84,000	80,200	75,300
Warren	111,400	103,900	100,600	97,500
District	1,244,800	1,175,900	1,126,100	1,064,800
Central				
De Witt	95,200	86,200	81,200	75,600
Logan	188,700	176,500	172,900	163,200
McLean	332,600	331,500	339,200	333,000
Macon	139,100	128,600	120,200	106,500
Marshall	111,100	110,600	113,200	109,300
Mason	89,900	83,100	80,000	74,800
Menard	80,700	71,900	67,200	60,000
Peoria	157,900	150,900	148,800	142,200
Stark	63,200	60,700	60,100	58,000
Tazewell	155,900	152,200	153,800	150,500
Woodford	165,100	165,400	172,500	175,900
District	1,579,400	1,517,600	1,509,100	1,449,000
East				
Champaign	243,500	241,000	234,600	229,900
Ford	170,900	174,200	175,500	178,700
Iroquois	418,100	422,400	420,700	421,400
Kankakee	189,100	187,100	179,500	172,100
Livingston	456,700	472,000	481,200	490,200
Platt	99,600	96,300	91,800	87,300
Vermilion	202,000	191,900	179,100	163,800
District	1,779,900	1,784,900	1,762,400	1,743,400

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LAYERS: Average number of layers during year, by counties, Illinois, 1950-57, continued

District and County	1950	1951	1952	1953
	Number	Number	Number	Number
West Southwest				
Bond	154,300	144,100	140,700	137,700
Calhoun	75,600	70,600	68,300	67,000
Cass	74,800	69,500	69,200	68,200
Christian	173,500	160,700	157,800	152,600
Greene	125,800	113,900	109,400	105,800
Jersey	94,500	89,300	87,900	86,400
Macoupin	266,400	241,300	231,800	224,500
Madison	309,200	284,600	274,500	265,600
Montgomery	254,800	242,100	245,300	245,500
Morgan	138,700	122,600	114,700	106,200
Plke	172,700	156,800	148,500	141,700
Sangamon	210,900	270,900	279,300	271,000
Scott	57,800	52,400	48,400	43,600
District	2,109,000	2,018,800	1,975,800	1,915,800
East Southeast				
Clark	197,100	189,400	175,900	162,000
Clay	213,800	208,200	197,900	184,600
Coles	135,800	128,700	118,100	106,200
Crawford	146,800	139,500	128,700	116,200
Cumberland	168,400	162,600	153,900	143,300
Douglas	112,500	114,700	111,900	105,400
Edgar	131,300	125,900	115,600	105,100
Effingham	268,000	264,900	254,800	242,300
Fayette	313,700	302,900	284,200	263,400
Jasper	308,800	299,700	283,300	262,200
Lawrence	101,400	96,700	89,600	80,000
Marion	208,500	203,000	191,800	177,100
Moultrie	94,200	91,100	85,100	78,400
Richland	162,700	157,500	148,200	137,700
Shelby	290,200	273,700	250,800	224,800
District	2,853,200	2,758,500	2,589,800	2,388,700
Southwest				
Alexander	29,800	27,600	25,400	23,700
Clinton	293,500	291,500	280,000	267,300
Jackson	133,500	129,500	122,200	114,200
Johnson	77,700	72,800	66,000	59,100
Monroe	192,600	193,500	188,100	182,100
Perry	136,000	134,300	129,100	123,400
Pulaski	55,200	53,200	50,000	45,400
Randolph	211,900	207,100	195,500	182,500
St. Clair	257,200	261,900	257,000	250,900
Union	81,900	76,700	70,100	63,900
Washington	245,300	242,300	232,000	220,700
Williamson	97,000	86,700	73,400	59,500
District	1,811,600	1,777,100	1,688,800	1,592,700
Southeast				
Edwards	109,900	106,200	105,000	100,600
Franklin	119,300	110,600	106,200	100,200
Gallatin	99,100	89,300	83,200	75,400
Hamilton	199,900	184,500	176,900	165,200
Hardin	42,700	39,000	36,300	34,100
Jefferson	228,500	212,800	206,800	197,300
Massac	76,900	71,600	68,200	63,700
Pope	58,000	53,100	50,500	48,100
Saline	113,600	107,400	105,400	99,800
Wabash	60,900	57,000	56,500	54,100
Wayne	322,800	301,800	294,000	278,700
White	136,200	126,300	120,700	113,100
District	1,567,800	1,459,600	1,409,700	1,330,300
STATE	17,221,000	16,872,000	16,153,000	15,459,000

LAYERS: Average number of layers during year, by counties, Illinois, 1950-57

District and County	1954	1955	1956	1957
	Number	Number	Number	Number
Northwest				
Bureau	243,100	255,000	261,000	257,300
Carroll	150,500	157,000	157,000	153,700
Henry	260,900	272,000	278,000	275,800
Jo Daviess	205,100	209,000	209,000	218,500
Lee	184,700	194,000	200,000	192,500
Mercer	119,800	117,000	117,000	118,500
Ogle	228,100	239,000	238,000	214,800
Putnam	38,400	39,000	38,000	33,300
Rock Island	134,700	142,000	149,000	137,000
Stephenson	286,500	302,000	303,000	278,600
Whiteside	254,600	265,000	269,000	267,500
Winnebago	145,400	151,000	146,000	132,400
District	2,251,800	2,342,000	2,365,000	2,279,900
Northeast				
Boone	87,700	90,000	87,000	84,200
Cook	149,400	145,000	141,000	134,200
De Kalb	239,700	258,000	264,000	261,000
Du Page	117,100	119,000	121,000	119,400
Grundy	109,800	107,000	96,000	84,200
Kane	166,100	169,000	161,000	152,700
Kendall	117,100	116,000	110,000	107,400
Lake	134,100	137,000	131,000	132,400
La. Salle	307,000	313,000	306,000	311,900
McHenry	181,400	181,000	178,000	175,900
Will	251,600	258,000	247,000	250,000
District	1,861,000	1,893,000	1,842,000	1,813,300
West				
Adams	186,000	186,000	184,000	187,900
Brown	61,700	59,000	57,000	56,500
Fulton	164,200	162,000	158,000	156,400
Hancock	167,900	165,000	166,000	162,900
Henderson	50,800	49,000	47,000	46,300
Knox	157,100	159,000	163,000	170,300
McDonough	107,500	106,000	107,000	107,400
Schuyler	75,100	74,100	70,000	67,600
Warren	97,000	95,000	97,000	98,100
District	1,067,300	1,054,000	1,049,000	1,053,400
Central				
De Witt	73,700	73,000	70,000	64,800
Logan	161,600	161,000	154,000	153,700
McLean	344,300	353,000	341,000	347,100
Macon	101,000	101,000	108,000	99,100
Marshall	109,000	112,000	112,000	124,000
Mason	74,100	74,000	67,000	64,800
Menard	55,600	57,000	59,000	50,900
Peoria	142,300	141,000	133,000	133,300
Stark	58,900	58,000	55,000	54,600
Tazewell	155,300	161,000	154,000	150,900
Woodford	188,600	197,000	206,000	246,200
District	1,464,400	1,488,000	1,459,000	1,489,300
East				
Champaign	242,800	243,000	240,000	238,800
Ford	193,800	198,000	198,000	204,600
Iroquois	452,600	462,000	475,000	514,700
Kankakee	179,200	180,000	176,000	184,200
Livingston	529,100	539,000	533,000	529,500
Platt	87,600	84,000	88,000	80,500
Vermilion	162,400	156,000	144,000	140,700
District	1,847,500	1,862,000	1,854,000	1,893,000

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LAYERS: Average number of layers during year, by counties, Illinois, 1950-57, continued

District and County	1954	1955	1956	1957
	Number	Number	Number	Number
West Southwest				
Bond	141,200	142,000	128,000	132,400
Calhoun	68,500	62,000	51,000	50,900
Cass	68,100	69,000	67,000	69,400
Christian	150,800	150,000	147,000	148,100
Greene	105,900	100,000	88,000	82,400
Jersey	87,200	87,000	80,000	70,400
Macoupin	222,200	211,000	199,000	196,200
Madison	267,100	262,000	251,000	253,600
Montgomery	252,600	254,000	247,000	252,700
Morgan	100,100	94,000	97,000	95,300
Pike	139,200	127,000	121,000	122,200
Sangamon	321,600	334,000	335,000	319,300
Scott	42,400	40,000	35,000	30,500
District	1,966,900	1,932,000	1,846,000	1,823,400
East Southeast				
Clark	166,100	163,000	160,000	161,100
Clay	189,600	200,000	187,000	189,800
Coles	105,700	112,000	98,000	94,400
Crawford	116,500	120,000	119,000	107,400
Cumberland	146,200	154,000	155,000	149,000
Douglas	107,400	105,000	101,000	100,900
Edgar	107,000	108,000	114,000	101,900
Effingham	254,500	259,000	246,000	268,400
Fayette	271,000	267,000	261,000	272,100
Jasper	269,000	269,000	276,000	276,800
Lawrence	79,300	77,000	69,000	81,500
Marion	180,100	181,000	181,000	184,200
Moultrie	80,100	76,000	71,000	85,200
Richland	141,300	139,000	133,000	137,000
Shelby	224,300	217,000	216,000	197,200
District	2,438,100	2,447,000	2,387,000	2,406,900
Southwest				
Alexander	24,500	23,000	21,000	29,600
Clinton	280,300	288,000	286,000	274,900
Jackson	116,400	116,000	107,000	120,300
Johnson	57,800	54,000	45,000	55,500
Monroe	193,800	199,000	196,000	193,500
Perry	128,900	132,000	130,000	131,400
Pulaski	45,700	44,000	44,000	36,100
Randolph	187,900	188,000	183,000	173,100
St. Clair	266,100	274,000	270,000	280,500
Union	63,200	61,000	54,000	53,700
Washington	230,800	243,000	253,000	252,700
Williamson	54,900	54,000	54,000	47,200
District	1,650,300	1,676,000	1,643,000	1,648,500
Southeast				
Edwards	100,400	97,000	90,000	114,800
Franklin	96,700	93,000	95,000	101,800
Gallatin	69,700	64,000	66,000	73,100
Hamilton	159,700	149,000	145,000	159,200
Hardin	33,600	29,000	25,000	26,800
Jefferson	192,900	177,000	166,000	168,500
Massac	61,800	56,000	52,000	63,900
Pope	46,500	44,000	47,000	42,600
Saline	98,400	89,000	74,000	81,500
Wabash	54,000	52,000	48,000	62,900
Wayne	273,000	258,000	244,000	262,900
White	110,000	104,000	102,000	108,300
District	1,296,700	1,212,000	1,154,000	1,266,300
STATE	15,844,000	15,906,000	15,599,000	15,674,000

EGGS: Eggs laid annually per hen and pullet of laying age on farms during year, by counties, Illinois, 1950-57

District and County	1950	1951	1952	1953
	Number	Number	Number	Number
Northwest				
Bureau	181	190	188	202
Carroll	185	194	184	183
Henry	182	193	189	191
Jo Daviess	174	176	183	177
Lee	189	188	194	178
Mercer	177	195	179	169
Ogle	171	191	180	181
Putnam	174	186	185	188
Rock Island	174	174	182	184
Stephenson	184	185	189	183
Whiteside	187	199	200	191
Winnebago	177	184	194	197
District	180	189	188	186
Northeast				
Boone	188	183	169	168
Cook	171	186	167	170
De Kalb	198	187	180	198
Du Page	188	199	200	171
Grundy	183	184	200	207
Kane	167	182	194	188
Kendall	197	186	204	205
Lake	163	182	169	162
LaSalle	183	195	206	204
McHenry	185	186	198	190
Will	186	188	196	202
District	183	188	191	190
West				
Adams	166	157	179	186
Brown	156	157	158	168
Fulton	180	176	195	177
Hancock	162	169	183	180
Henderson	163	151	171	158
Knox	163	171	195	188
McDonough	167	177	181	158
Schuyler	164	191	165	190
Warren	182	194	203	199
District	168	171	184	180
Central				
De Witt	167	146	164	194
Logan	174	164	154	166
McLean	171	182	191	213
Macon	164	176	175	190
Marshall	197	192	204	217
Mason	183	192	186	178
Menard	180	172	190	173
Peoria	193	212	191	195
Stark	175	185	184	206
Tazewell	203	192	206	208
Woodford	188	196	187	201
District	181	184	186	198
East				
Champaign	167	174	181	188
Ford	180	184	187	206
Iroquois	199	202	211	209
Kankakee	190	207	217	204
Livingston	195	184	205	217
Platt	178	165	194	199
Vermilion	165	172	198	179
District	186	187	201	204

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EGGS; Eggs laid annually per hen and pullet of laying age on farms during year, by counties, Illinois, 1950-57 continued

District and County	1950	1951	1952	1953
	Number	Number	Number	Number
West Southwest				
Bond	167	151	157	181
Calhoun	165	183	174	170
Cass	168	182	174	174
Christian	176	181	178	201
Greene	182	162	163	157
Jersey	178	169	165	176
Macoupin	162	170	183	165
Madison	179	170	172	182
Montgomery	167	166	166	169
Morgan	163	155	163	161
Pike	156	162	177	170
Sangamon	164	173	161	171
Scott	185	178	182	165
District	169	169	170	174
East Southeast				
Clark	150	150	178	166
Clay	169	169	190	170
Coles	165	161	163	198
Crawford	159	161	174	179
Cumberland	169	160	171	185
Douglas	169	172	176	181
Edgar	144	161	153	172
Bffingham	158	154	181	178
Fayette	163	158	164	178
Jasper	156	166	177	179
Lawrence	169	172	185	192
Marion	163	153	164	164
Moultrie	163	176	184	184
Richland	181	175	196	198
Shelby	160	159	175	182
District	162	162	175	179
Southwest				
Alexander	166	181	148	155
Clinton	154	164	164	173
Jackson	179	171	188	199
Johnson	167	158	148	165
Monroe	181	192	198	207
Perry	171	159	164	162
Pulaski	154	144	148	165
Randolph	170	164	172	185
St. Clair	169	170	194	178
Union	152	142	146	167
Washington	195	179	171	184
Williamson	146	149	196	202
District	170	168	175	182
Southeast				
Edwards	163	184	168	181
Franklin	179	172	193	182
Gallatin	149	153	165	161
Hamilton	172	179	191	185
Hardin	143	150	167	165
Jefferson	165	169	163	155
Massac	156	175	166	163
Pope	168	173	164	181
Saline	178	181	181	161
Wabash	155	167	181	193
Wayne	175	172	178	167
White	139	153	160	165
District	165	171	174	169
STATE	173	176	183	185

EGGS: Eggs laid annually per hen and pullet of laying age on farms during year, by counties, Illinois, 1950-57

District and County	1954	1955	1956	1957
	Number	Number	Number	Number
Northwest				
Bureau	194	195	202	192
Carroll	171	192	207	213
Henry	197	201	207	201
Jo Daviess	188	178	196	193
Lee	192	190	196	205
Mercer	195	189	200	200
Ogle	195	211	221	210
Putnam	193	200	204	176
Rock Island	204	203	211	208
Stephenson	190	200	198	187
Whiteside	201	204	217	214
Winnebago	192	219	205	197
District	193	198	206	201
Northeast				
Boone	205	183	196	208
Cook	186	195	192	196
De Kalb	188	206	194	207
Du Page	188	187	196	198
Grundy	178	200	211	181
Kane	185	197	194	194
Kendall	181	204	208	208
Lake	200	222	221	206
LaSalle	196	204	213	223
McHenry	211	203	206	204
Will	193	208	216	217
District	193	202	205	207
West				
Adams	190	187	180	188
Brown	182	177	175	182
Fulton	185	190	208	216
Hancock	165	182	181	188
Henderson	164	178	193	180
Knox	191	187	198	198
McDonough	171	199	185	204
Schuyler	168	191	171	176
Warren	195	194	194	195
District	181	188	188	194
Central				
De Witt	191	177	180	180
Logan	179	173	167	172
McLean	195	185	198	200
Macon	181	206	208	201
Marshall	211	213	217	219
Mason	177	186	175	173
Menard	179	175	173	183
Peoria	189	204	213	217
Stark	203	211	204	202
Tazewell	203	201	190	187
Woodford	202	208	218	206
District	193	194	197	197
East				
Champaign	193	207	198	210
Ford	198	211	204	229
Iroquois	198	213	227	206
Kankakee	199	215	215	213
Livingston	206	221	225	209
Platt	196	193	192	219
Vermilion	183	183	186	193
District	198	211	214	210

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EGGS: Eggs laid annually per hen and pullet of laying age on farms during year, by counties, Illinois, 1950-57 continued

District and County	1954	1955	1956	1957
	Number	Number	Number	Number
West Southwest				
Bond	176	172	188	174
Calhoun	165	167	168	186
Cass	174	172	209	190
Christian	197	196	198	203
Greene	174	166	155	176
Jersey	164	175	168	201
Macoupin	173	187	177	184
Madison	198	199	203	194
Montgomery	185	190	190	184
Morgan	165	196	196	203
Pike	192	186	169	183
Sangamon	178	176	171	198
Scott	204	214	207	183
District	182	185	184	190
East Southeast				
Clark	180	160	200	182
Clay	162	175	183	194
Coles	186	196	215	209
Crawford	160	186	207	191
Cumberland	172	195	203	181
Douglas	178	194	194	197
Edgar	176	180	191	197
Effingham	179	178	180	190
Fayette	176	191	189	191
Jasper	188	203	200	195
Lawrence	174	170	187	187
Marion	162	169	174	158
Moultrie	189	200	192	198
Richland	191	201	200	201
Shelby	176	178	177	199
District	177	185	191	190
Southwest				
Alexander	164	161	177	168
Clinton	177	176	189	210
Jackson	173	178	222	196
Johnson	164	163	156	166
Monroe	188	206	196	208
Perry	160	171	176	169
Pulaski	161	158	176	162
Randolph	178	196	200	193
St. Clair	168	193	197	204
Union	168	182	195	185
Washington	182	194	193	208
Williamson	199	183	218	197
District	175	186	194	198
Southeast				
Edwards	168	213	205	209
Franklin	187	186	198	198
Gallatin	164	154	187	162
Hamilton	177	176	163	190
Hardin	164	174	185	168
Jefferson	175	174	187	188
Massac	191	184	172	168
Pope	174	190	205	168
Saline	169	181	165	173
Wabash	186	166	174	178
Wayne	173	175	178	189
White	162	159	172	193
District	174	178	181	186
STATE	185	193	197	197

EGGS: Eggs produced on farms, by counties, Illinois, 1950-57

District and County	1950	1951	1952	1953
- Thousand -				
<u>Northwest</u>				
Bureau	44,676	46,936	46,045	47,260
Carroll	28,841	29,593	27,946	27,173
Henry	50,363	52,370	50,380	48,185
Jo Daviess	35,873	36,043	36,909	34,811
Lee	36,094	35,603	36,503	31,850
Mercer	23,582	25,394	22,502	20,204
Ogle	40,117	44,162	40,993	39,558
Putnam	6,179	6,944	7,219	7,088
Rock Island	25,256	24,557	25,070	24,278
Stephenson	53,048	52,811	54,144	50,859
Whiteside	50,038	52,146	51,535	47,023
Winnebago	25,901	26,558	27,975	27,482
District	419,968	433,117	427,221	405,771
<u>Northeast</u>				
Boone	17,595	16,247	14,487	14,343
Cook	31,871	32,487	27,122	26,152
De Kalb	40,635	38,033	36,581	42,363
Du Page	26,035	27,009	25,588	20,206
Grundys	21,046	20,498	21,560	21,926
Kane	28,673	29,875	30,694	29,345
Kendall	24,577	22,453	23,838	23,391
Lake	23,962	26,105	23,283	21,538
LaSalle	57,410	60,136	62,046	60,215
McHenry	38,165	36,397	36,891	34,076
Will	45,810	45,181	46,249	47,905
District	355,779	354,421	348,339	341,460
<u>West</u>				
Adams	36,359	32,294	35,211	34,558
Brown	11,290	10,764	10,311	10,438
Fulton	33,215	31,216	33,472	28,885
Hancock	32,473	31,852	32,808	30,388
Henderson	10,358	8,962	9,501	8,167
Knox	28,709	28,634	31,480	28,782
McDonough	21,622	21,596	20,965	17,157
Schuyler	14,524	16,059	13,214	14,271
Warren	20,276	20,176	20,464	19,364
District	208,826	201,553	207,426	192,010
<u>Central</u>				
De Witt	15,907	12,597	13,297	14,633
Logan	32,845	28,973	26,555	27,146
McLean	56,899	60,389	64,861	70,832
Macon	22,828	22,655	21,028	20,184
Marshall	21,879	21,255	23,142	23,691
Mason	16,452	15,970	14,891	13,347
Menard	14,528	12,378	12,781	10,404
Peoria	30,468	32,020	28,453	27,667
Stark	11,063	11,240	11,064	11,928
Tazewell	31,632	29,249	31,755	31,254
Woodford	31,036	32,448	32,283	35,288
District	285,537	279,174	280,110	286,374
<u>East</u>				
Champaign	40,688	41,973	42,474	43,108
Ford	30,766	32,083	32,845	36,750
Iroquois	83,169	85,404	88,575	87,937
Kankakee	35,924	38,766	38,888	35,046
Livingston	89,031	86,928	98,866	106,247
Platt	17,732	15,905	17,834	17,337
Vermilion	33,351	33,037	35,522	29,392
District	330,661	334,096	355,004	355,817

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EGGS: Eggs produced on farms, by counties, Illinois, 1950-57 continued

District and County	1950	1951	1952	1953
- Thousand -				
West Southwest				
Bond	25,783	21,779	22,039	24,987
Calhoun	12,482	12,932	11,879	11,415
Cass	12,573	12,661	12,035	11,895
Christian	30,544	29,114	28,088	30,613
Greene	22,898	18,469	17,804	16,639
Jersey	16,824	15,106	14,484	15,242
Macoupin	43,189	41,059	42,438	37,116
Madison	55,356	48,427	47,184	48,464
Montgomery	42,576	40,226	40,668	41,578
Morgan	22,624	19,021	18,666	17,130
Pike	26,968	25,425	26,281	24,141
Sangamon	34,611	46,909	44,884	46,443
Scott	10,693	9,336	8,812	7,208
District	357,121	340,464	335,262	332,871
East Southeast				
Clark	29,602	28,436	31,309	26,946
Clay	36,150	35,219	37,640	31,450
Coles	22,421	20,740	19,219	20,984
Crawford	23,361	22,481	22,385	20,851
Cumberland	28,474	26,040	26,297	26,581
Douglas	19,022	19,746	19,690	19,126
Edgar	18,936	20,289	17,637	18,118
Effingham	42,382	40,833	46,130	43,234
Fayette	51,170	47,902	46,539	47,000
Jasper	48,220	49,796	50,138	47,050
Lawrence	17,145	16,647	16,586	15,323
Marion	34,010	31,088	31,409	29,101
Moultrie	15,366	16,049	15,667	14,463
Richland	29,452	27,588	29,093	27,208
Shelby	46,471	43,558	43,876	41,019
District	462,182	446,412	453,615	428,454
Southwest				
Alexander	4,950	5,001	3,771	3,680
Cilnton	45,247	47,850	45,852	46,349
Jackson	23,901	22,165	22,994	22,679
Johnson	12,983	11,513	9,801	9,771
Monroe	34,864	37,186	37,308	37,633
Perry	23,266	21,374	21,141	20,028
Pulaski	8,510	7,668	7,425	7,506
Randolph	36,040	33,995	33,605	33,852
St. Clair	43,488	44,564	49,927	44,769
Union	12,463	10,901	10,267	10,693
Washington	47,820	43,412	39,643	40,715
Williamson	14,182	12,930	14,408	11,996
District	307,714	298,559	296,142	289,671
Southeast				
Edwards	17,927	19,559	17,622	18,255
Franklin	21,358	19,041	20,523	16,263
Gallatin	14,785	13,676	13,709	12,162
Hamilton	34,396	33,057	33,826	30,643
Hardin	6,116	5,853	6,055	5,637
Jefferson	37,727	35,996	33,654	30,630
Massac	12,008	12,542	11,307	10,403
Pope	9,749	9,195	8,269	8,728
Saline	20,225	19,457	19,082	16,098
Wabash	9,449	9,528	10,229	10,416
Wayne	56,507	51,958	52,331	46,639
White	18,965	19,342	19,274	18,698
District	259,212	249,204	245,881	224,572
STATE	2,987,000	2,937,000	2,949,000	2,857,000

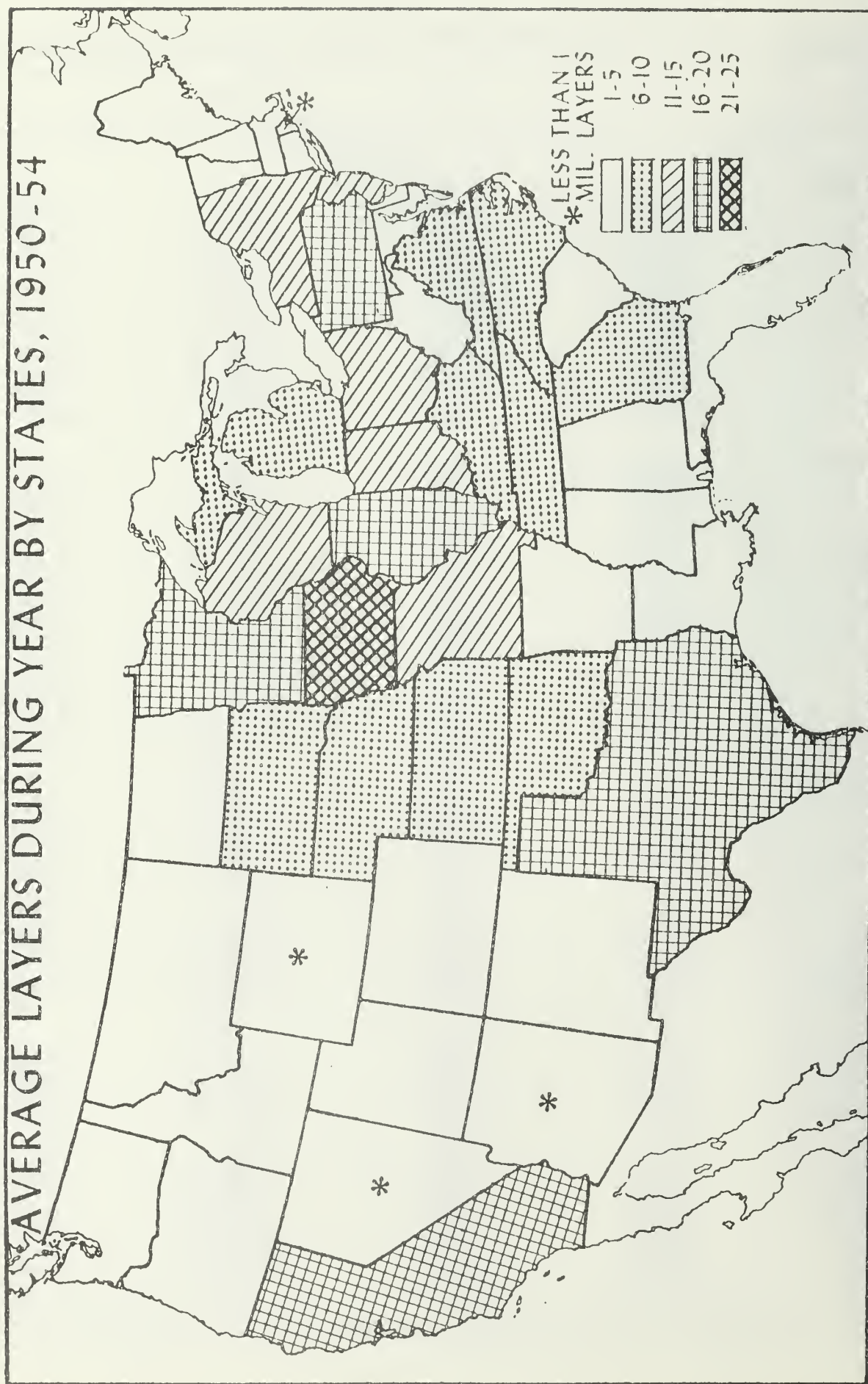
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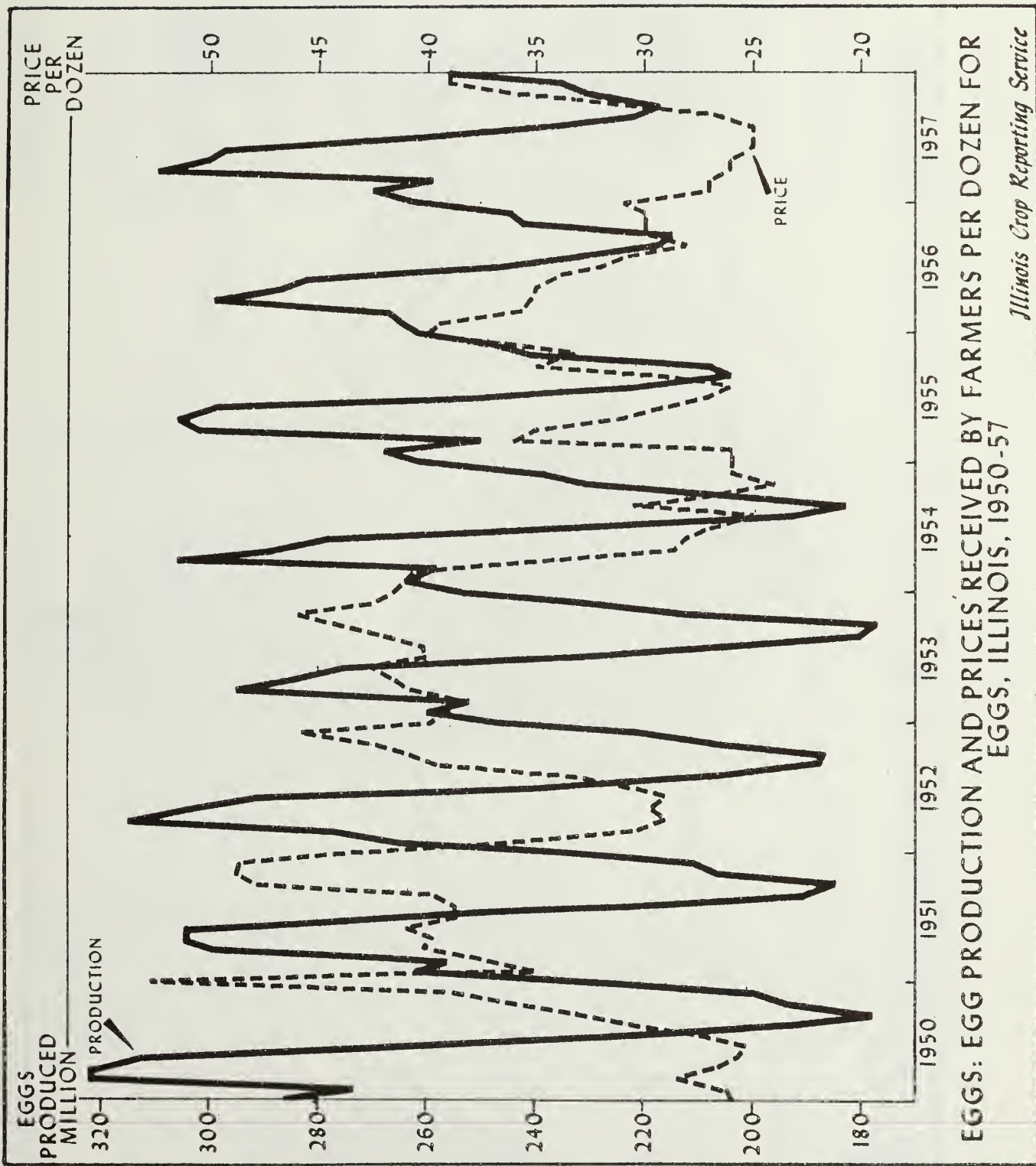
District and County	1954	1955	1956	1957
- Thousand -				
<u>Northwest</u>				
Bureau	47,178	49,615	52,673	48,865
Carroll	25,748	30,070	32,481	32,612
Henry	51,416	54,576	57,307	54,833
Jo Daviess	38,573	37,276	40,712	41,035
Lee	35,475	36,763	38,950	39,555
Mercer	23,370	22,171	23,375	23,779
Ogle	44,497	50,377	52,396	43,696
Putnam	7,414	7,786	7,542	5,993
Rock Island	27,489	28,780	31,430	27,875
Stephenson	54,455	60,290	59,723	50,916
Whiteside	51,194	53,977	58,380	55,257
Winnebago	27,927	33,052	29,909	25,184
District	434,734	464,733	484,878	449,600
<u>Northeast</u>				
Boone	17,985	16,508	17,028	18,306
Cook	27,798	28,212	27,026	27,010
De Kalb	45,081	53,074	50,943	55,062
Du Page	22,023	22,310	23,487	24,326
Grundy	19,551	21,361	20,250	15,599
Kane	30,740	33,225	30,992	30,214
Kendall	21,203	23,628	22,661	22,467
Lake	26,830	30,404	28,741	26,365
LaSalle	60,194	63,754	65,169	70,146
McHenry	38,289	36,684	36,645	36,706
Will	48,577	53,597	53,355	53,661
District	358,271	382,757	376,297	379,862
<u>West</u>				
Adams	35,353	34,870	33,029	35,068
Brown	11,233	10,463	10,001	10,397
Fulton	30,388	30,699	32,848	33,731
Hancock	27,715	30,097	29,785	30,567
Henderson	8,334	8,739	9,056	8,477
Knox	30,017	29,808	32,234	33,227
McDonough	18,389	20,856	19,565	21,820
Schuyler	12,622	14,098	11,997	11,809
Warren	18,922	18,388	18,595	19,081
District	192,973	198,018	197,110	204,177
<u>Central</u>				
De Witt	14,082	12,946	12,565	11,723
Logan	28,937	27,899	25,769	26,340
McLean	67,163	65,463	67,238	68,940
Macon	18,288	20,777	22,245	20,085
Marshall	23,007	23,835	24,090	25,877
Mason	13,121	13,798	11,755	11,257
Menard	9,956	9,993	10,232	9,722
Peoria	26,905	28,720	28,325	29,546
Stark	11,961	12,225	11,211	11,305
Tazewell	31,538	32,304	29,205	28,349
Woodford	38,111	40,925	44,698	47,374
District	283,069	288,885	287,333	290,518
<u>East</u>				
Champaign	46,878	50,235	47,462	48,947
Ford	38,386	41,735	40,157	44,790
Iroquois	89,648	98,318	107,677	99,280
Kankakee	35,674	38,670	37,839	37,514
Livingston	109,036	119,073	119,774	107,661
Platt	17,176	16,173	16,675	17,544
Vermilion	29,730	28,614	26,725	26,201
District	366,528	392,818	396,309	381,937

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EGGS: Eggs produced on farms, by counties, Illinois, 1950-57 continued

District and County	1954	1955	1956	1957
- Thousand -				
<u>West Southwest</u>				
Bond	24,860	24,463	24,015	24,389
Calhoun	11,306	10,367	8,586	10,444
Cass	11,854	11,887	13,997	12,702
Christian	29,719	29,337	28,872	31,044
Greene	18,434	16,619	13,654	15,158
Jersey	14,306	15,252	13,299	15,064
Macoupin	38,455	39,557	35,140	37,445
Madison	52,906	52,039	50,707	50,356
Montgomery	46,749	48,133	46,842	45,745
Morgan	16,522	18,385	18,986	19,681
Pike	26,736	23,681	20,493	22,195
Sangamon	57,266	58,893	57,244	64,278
Scott	8,653	8,553	7,241	6,237
District	357,766	357,166	339,076	354,738
<u>East Southeast</u>				
Clark	29,909	26,098	31,966	29,915
Clay	30,726	35,063	33,953	37,380
Coles	19,667	21,905	21,070	20,278
Crawford	18,647	22,375	24,619	21,157
Cumberland	25,155	29,964	31,235	27,570
Douglas	19,124	20,323	19,564	20,462
Edgar	18,839	19,481	21,735	20,462
Effingham	45,573	46,194	44,157	50,428
Fayette	47,714	50,867	49,044	51,463
Jasper	50,591	54,520	54,941	54,517
Lawrence	13,803	13,109	12,875	14,361
Marion	29,187	30,631	31,572	29,353
Moultrie	15,145	15,172	13,609	15,822
Richland	26,998	27,890	26,372	26,111
Shelby	39,492	38,703	38,157	39,760
District	430,570	452,295	454,869	459,039
<u>Southwest</u>				
Alexander	4,019	3,706	3,727	4,874
Clinton	49,631	50,782	53,948	58,611
Jackson	20,144	20,689	23,764	23,292
Johnson	9,483	8,810	6,872	8,965
Monroe	36,448	40,937	38,167	41,189
Perry	20,632	22,607	22,940	22,995
Pulaski	7,361	6,956	7,764	6,314
Randolph	33,458	36,769	36,561	34,292
St. Clair	44,722	52,756	52,924	57,303
Union	10,622	11,127	10,515	10,572
Washington	42,022	47,034	48,557	53,462
Williamson	10,929	9,905	11,774	9,838
District	289,471	312,078	317,513	331,707
<u>Southeast</u>				
Edwards	16,873	20,643	18,437	23,413
Franklin	18,090	17,341	18,787	20,767
Gallatin	11,435	9,858	12,316	12,305
Hamilton	28,277	26,273	23,512	31,091
Hardin	5,512	5,055	4,614	4,874
Jefferson	33,771	30,851	30,789	33,380
Massac	11,808	10,328	8,965	10,924
Pope	8,094	8,338	9,628	7,395
Saline	16,636	16,144	12,233	14,721
Wabash	10,048	8,642	8,198	10,877
Wayne	47,247	45,231	43,551	51,098
White	17,827	16,546	17,585	21,577
District	225,618	215,250	208,615	242,422
STATE	2,939,000	3,064,000	3,062,000	3,094,000

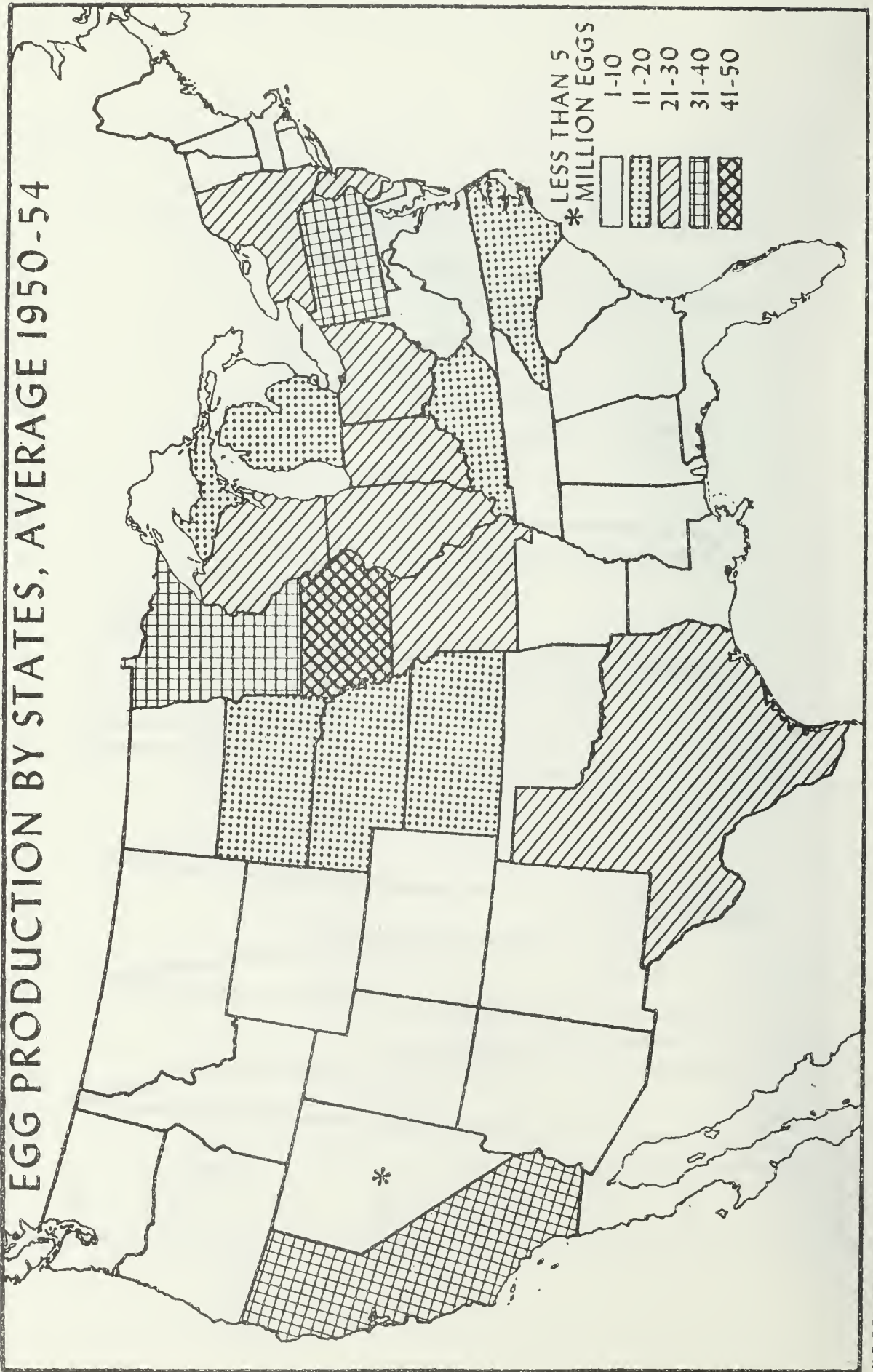




EGGS: EGG PRODUCTION AND PRICES RECEIVED BY FARMERS PER DOZEN FOR EGGS, ILLINOIS, 1950-57

Illinois Crop Reporting Service

EGG PRODUCTION BY STATES, AVERAGE 1950-54



EGGS: Egg production by month, Illinois, 1950-1957.

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
- MILLION -												
1950	286	273	322	322	312	259	222	192	178	194	200	227
1951	262	256	299	304	304	261	223	191	185	206	211	235
1952	265	277	315	304	291	241	206	188	187	207	221	247
1953	260	252	295	284	275	234	203	180	177	212	232	253
1954	264	258	306	289	278	234	193	183	203	231	239	261
1955	268	250	302	306	299	251	223	204	209	241	249	262
1956	265	267	299	287	282	247	232	217	215	243	245	263
1957	270	259	310	300	297	260	237	222	217	231	235	256

EGG PRICES: Price per dozen received by farmers at local markets, Illinois, monthly, 1950-57

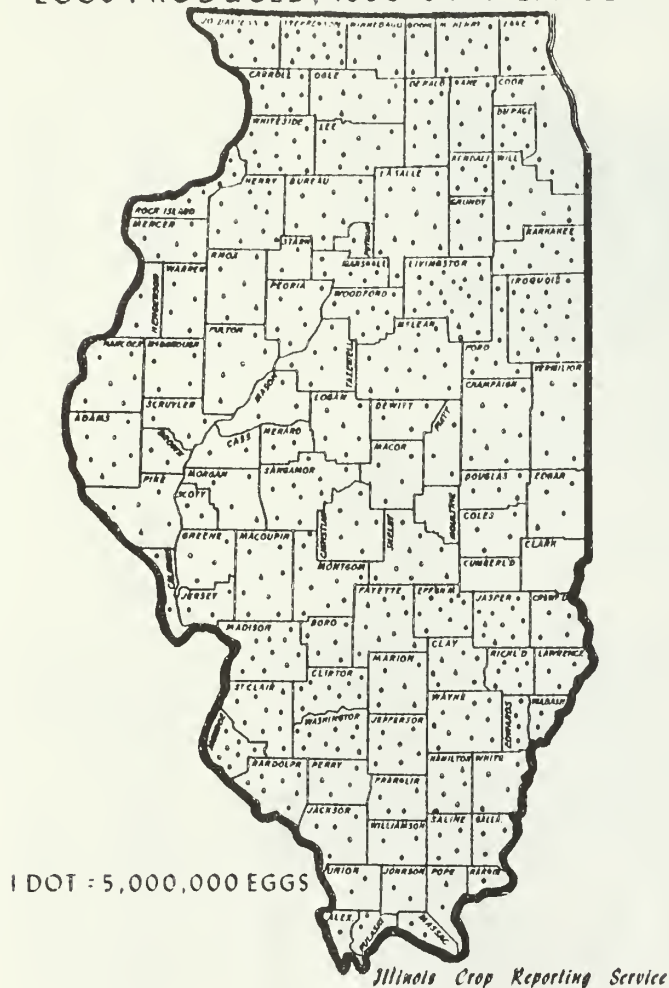
Year	Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15
- CENTS -												
1950	25.8	26.2	28.4	26.6	25.6	25.3	27.4	30.5	33.0	36.0	39.2	52.7
1951	35.0	37.2	40.0	39.6	40.9	38.6	38.6	39.6	48.0	48.8	48.6	43.4
1952	34.6	30.3	28.9	29.0	29.0	30.6	32.9	39.5	40.7	42.5	45.8	39.7
1953	39.0	38.3	40.8	41.5	42.6	40.0	40.1	42.0	44.0	46.0	42.5	41.5
1954	41.0	40.5	34.0	28.5	28.0	27.0	25.0	30.5	27.0	24.0	26.0	26.0
1955	26.0	36.0	35.0	31.0	29.0	27.0	26.0	29.0	35.0	33.3	36.4	40.0
1956	39.5	35.7	35.3	26.0	25.0	25.0	25.0	27.0	32.0	36.0	39.0	39.0
1957	27.0	27.0	26.0	25.0	25.0	25.0	25.0	27.0	32.0	36.0	39.0	39.0

EGGS: Farm production and disposition, Illinois 1950-57

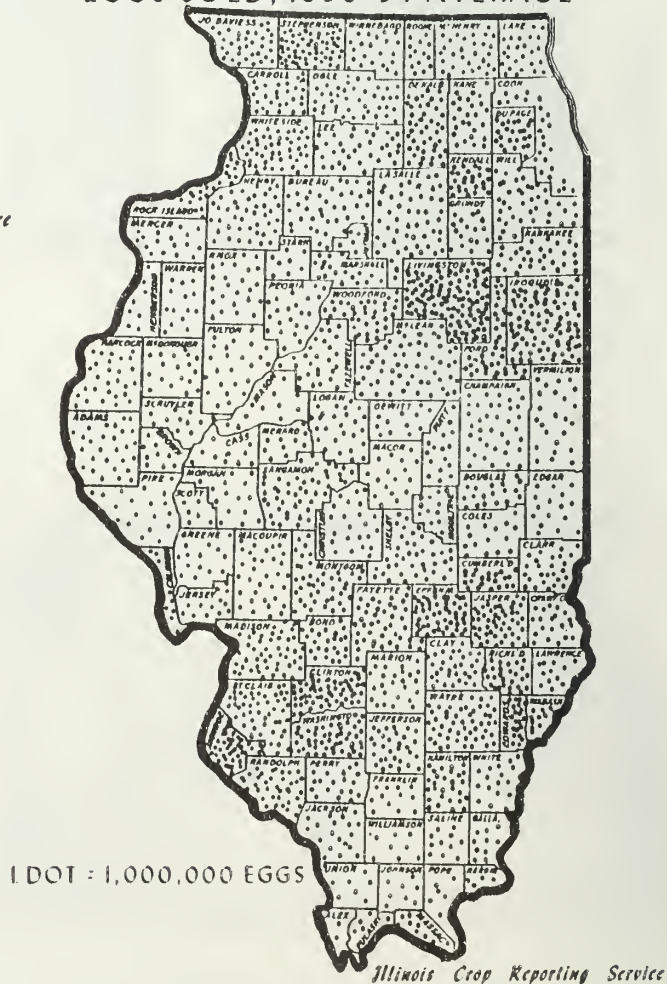
Year	Eggs produced	Consumed in farm house- holds ^{1/}	Used for home hatchings	Eggs sold
- MILLION -				
1950	2,987	280	4	2,703
1951	2,937	255	4	2,678
1952	2,949	256	4	2,687
1953	2,857	237	3	2,617
1954	2,939	230	3	2,706
1955	3,064	232	2	2,830
1956	3,062	230	3	2,829
1957	3,094	225	2	2,867

^{1/} Consumed in households of farm producers.

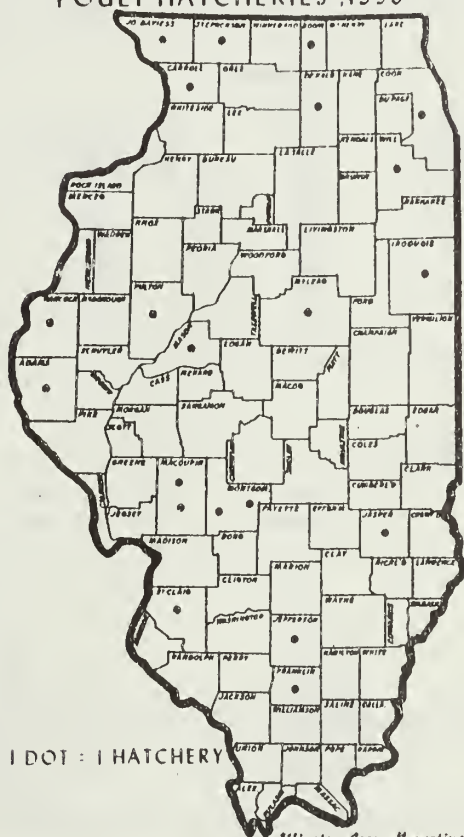
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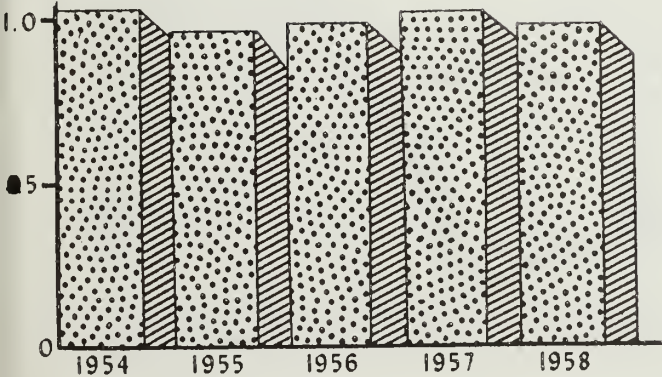
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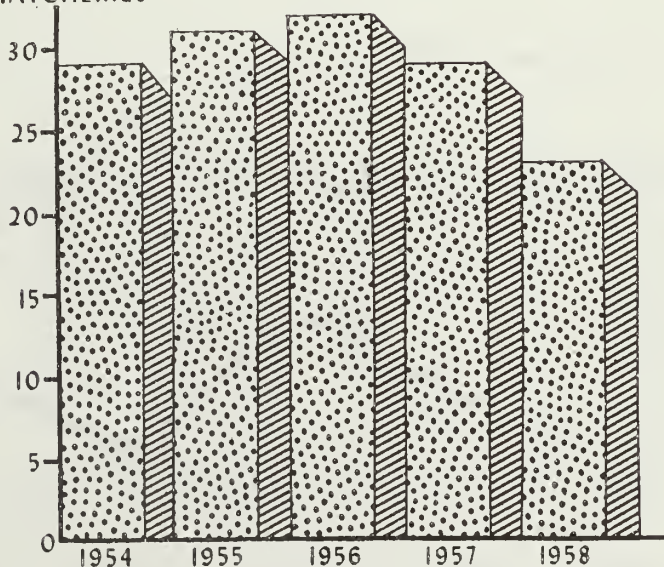


EGG CAPACITY
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EGG CAPACITY OF INCUBATORS IN
TURKEY HATCHERIES, BY YEARS
ILLINOIS, 1954-58

NUMBER OF
HATCHERIES



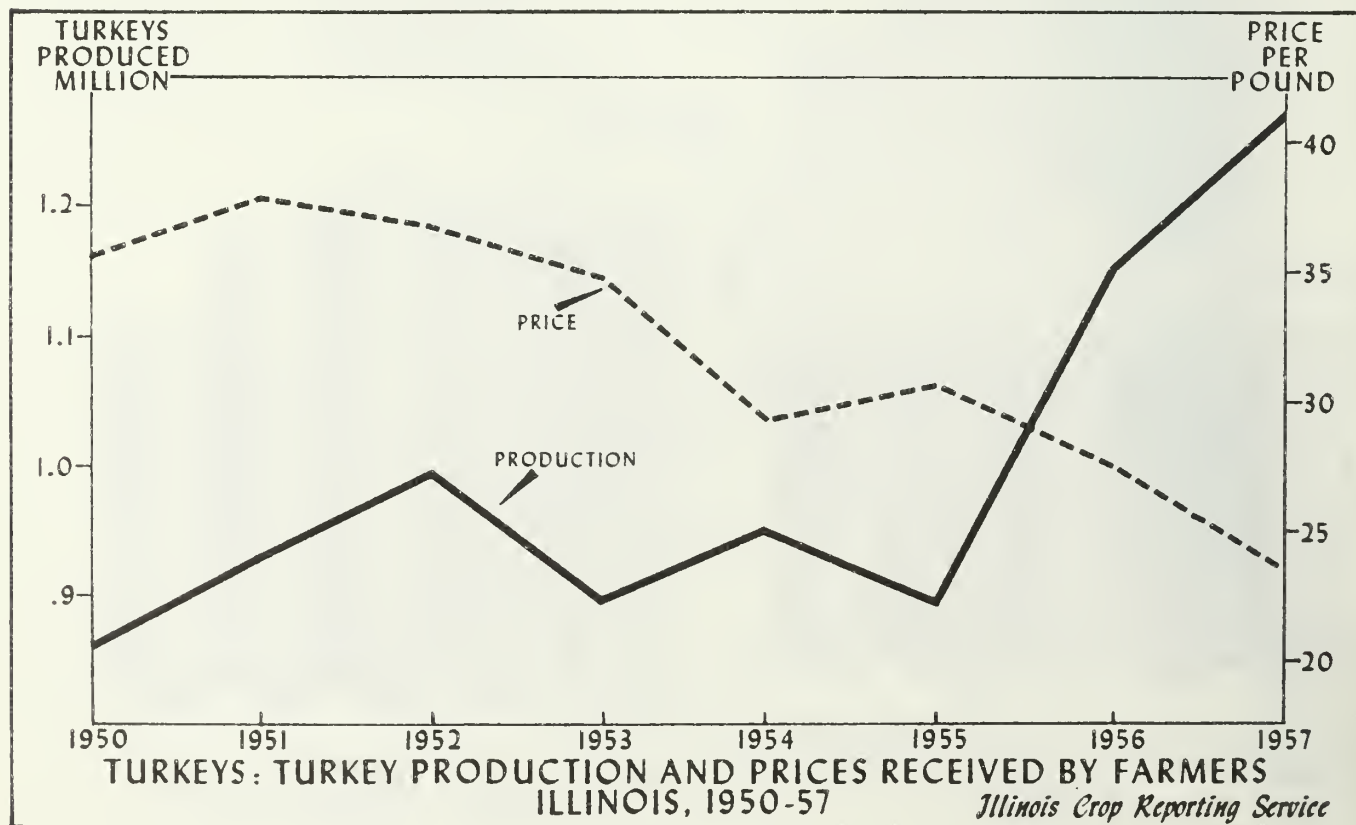
NUMBER OF TURKEY HATCHERIES
BY YEARS, ILLINOIS, 1954-58

TURKEYS: All turkeys and breeder hens on farms, January 1, Illinois, 1950-58

Year	All turkeys			Breeder hens		
	Heavy	Light	Total	Heavy	Light	Total
- THOUSAND -						
1950	Not available	Not available	69	Not available	Not available	43
1951	Not available	Not available	59	Not available	Not available	35
1952	Not available	Not available	68	Not available	Not available	42
1953	55	6	61	32	5	37
1954	60	7	67	30	5	35
1955	53	7	60	27	4	31
1956	54	6	60	30	3	33
1957	59	4	63	27	2	29
1958	70	6	76	32	3	35

TURKEYS: Production and income, Illinois, 1950-57

Year	Number produced	Pounds produced	Price per pound	Gross income
	Thous.	Thous.	Cents	Thous. dol.
1950	862	16,378	35.5	5,882
1951	931	17,502	37.8	6,552
1952	996	17,431	36.8	6,459
1953	896	16,397	34.8	5,668
1954	951	18,640	29.3	5,502
1955	894	17,433	30.6	5,335
1956	1,153	22,945	27.5	6,294
1957	1,270	24,130	23.5	5,612



TURKEY PRICES: Price per pound received by farmers at local markets, Illinois, monthly, 1950-57

Year	Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15
- CENTS -												
1950	36.0	34.0	33.0	32.0	29.0	29.0	31.0	35.0	35.0	31.0	36.0	37.5
1951	32.0	34.0	34.0	36.0	35.0	33.0	33.0	33.0	35.0	35.0	38.0	40.0
1952	39.0	38.0	37.0	37.0	32.0	32.0	34.0	33.0	34.0	35.0	38.0	38.0
1953	35.0	34.0	35.0	34.0	35.0	35.0	35.0	33.0	33.0	36.0	34.0	36.0
1954	34.0	34.0	34.0	32.0	29.0	29.0	29.0	29.0	29.0	29.0	29.0	29.0
1955	28.0	28.0	28.0	28.0	28.0	28.0	28.0	28.0	32.0	32.0	30.0	31.0
1956	31.0	32.0	32.0	31.0	31.0	29.0	30.0	28.0	27.0	27.0	26.0	29.0
1957	26.0	25.0	25.0	25.0	24.0	24.0	23.0	22.0	22.0	23.0	23.0	25.0

PRICES: Prices paid by farmers per hundred pounds for turkey growing mash, Illinois, monthly, 1955-57

Year	Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15
- DOLLARS -												
1955	5.50	5.40	5.40	5.30	5.30	5.20	5.20	5.00	4.95	5.00	4.95	4.90
1956	4.90	4.85	4.80	4.95	5.20	5.20	5.20	5.10	5.10	5.00	4.95	5.00
1957	5.00	5.10	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	4.95	4.90

PRICE RATIO: Ratio of prices received for turkeys by farmers to prices paid for turkey feed, Illinois, monthly, 1953-57 ^{1/}

Year	Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15
1953	9.5	9.6	9.7	9.6	9.9	10.1	10.1	9.5	9.4	10.7	10.2	10.3
1954	9.7	9.6	9.5	8.9	8.0	8.1	8.2	8.1	8.0	8.4	8.4	8.3
1955	8.0	8.0	8.1	8.2	8.2	8.3	8.5	8.9	10.4	10.5	10.1	10.1
1956	10.1	10.4	10.4	9.6	9.2	8.5	8.8	8.1	7.9	8.5	8.0	8.8
1957	7.9	7.7	7.7	7.7	7.5	7.6	7.3	6.9	7.0	7.6	7.6	8.4

^{1/} Pounds of turkey feed equal in value to one pound of turkey, live weight.

TURKEYS RAISED: Illinois, by counties, 1954

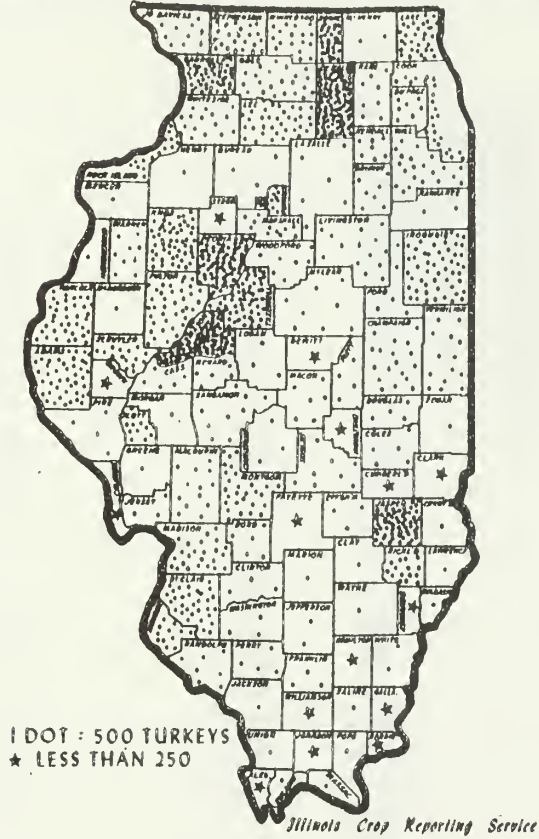
District and County	Light breeds	Heavy breeds	Total
- NUMBER -			
<u>Northwest</u>			
Bureau	916	1,509	2,425
Carroll	16,577	25,475	42,052
Henry	359	553	912
Jo Daviess	3,169	4,969	8,138
Lee	1,460	16,820	18,280
Mercer	39	633	672
Ogle	5,365	10,951	16,316
Putnam	2,343	7,736	10,079
Rock Island	3,413	7,939	11,352
Stephenson	752	11,613	12,365
Whiteside	2,037	7,606	9,643
Winnebago	1,534	8,561	10,095
District	37,964	104,365	142,329
<u>Northeast</u>			
Boone	3,011	17,930	20,941
Cook	7,086	11,843	18,929
De Kalb	19,180	52,177	71,357
Du Page	6,182	3,431	9,613
Grundy	533	3,710	4,243
Kane	3,558	4,074	7,632
Kendall	256	3,257	3,513
Lake	10,966	15,973	26,939
LaSalle	1,362	3,107	4,469
McHenry	116	1,194	1,310
Will	3,685	10,678	14,363
District	55,935	127,374	183,309
<u>West</u>			
Adams	13,448	21,582	35,030
Brown	42	72	114
Fulton	4,059	19,214	23,273
Hancock	1,911	18,519	20,430
Henderson	912	317	1,229
Knox	9,131	26,564	35,695
McDonough	420	719	1,139
Schuyler	27	8,143	8,170
Warren	135	4,336	4,471
District	30,085	99,466	129,551
<u>Central</u>			
De Witt	16	34	50
Logan	110	1,356	1,466
McLean	7,068	4,224	11,292
Macon	1,935	2,768	4,703
Marshall	393	5,613	6,006
Mason	5,875	49,747	55,622
Menard	76	2,764	2,840
Peoria	8,386	35,888	44,274
Stark	67	23	90
Tazewell	3,492	27,457	30,949
Woodford	1,198	3,302	4,500
District	28,616	133,176	161,792
<u>East</u>			
Champaign	4,002	9,126	13,128
Ford	1,814	2,567	4,381
Iroquois	2,480	26,075	28,555
Kankakee	614	1,122	1,736
Livingston	1,281	6,785	8,066
Platt	293	2,081	2,374
Vermilion	4,082	7,209	11,291
District	14,566	54,965	69,531

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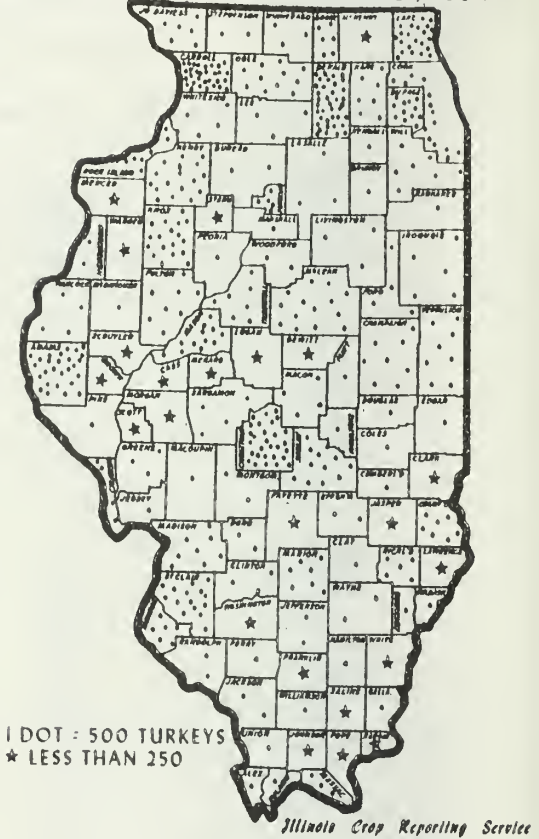
TURKEYS RAISED; Illinois, by counties, 1954 - continued

District and County	Light breeds	Heavy breeds	Total
- NUMBER -			
<u>West Southwest</u>			
Bond	856	2,704	3,560
Calhoun	2,099	126	2,225
Cass	151	2,477	2,628
Christian	14,723	1,742	16,465
Greene	1,460	688	2,148
Jersey	482	1,442	1,924
Macoupin	583	6,383	6,966
Madison	3,866	12,079	15,945
Montgomery	1,058	14,211	15,269
Morgan	44	633	677
Pike	369	1,847	2,216
Sangamon	1,874	4,323	6,197
Scott	53	5,097	5,150
District	27,618	53,752	81,370
<u>East Southeast</u>			
Clark	56	238	294
Clay	330	539	869
Coles	424	2,494	2,918
Crawford	3,684	267	3,951
Cumberland	505	71	576
Douglas	427	2,139	2,566
Edgar	259	307	566
Effingham	1,141	1,279	2,420
Fayette	217	207	424
Jasper	241	30,018	30,259
Lawrence	66	255	321
Marion	3,320	564	3,884
Moultrie	306	239	545
Richland	2,599	7,573	10,172
Shelby	5,799	3,964	9,763
District	19,374	50,154	69,528
<u>Southwest</u>			
Alexander	289	135	424
Clinton	1,546	1,694	3,240
Jackson	806	399	1,205
Johnson	245	80	325
Monroe	3,237	5,943	9,180
Perry	613	2,023	2,636
Pulaski	257	421	678
Randolph	796	3,352	4,148
St. Clair	7,476	15,253	22,729
Union	304	589	893
Washington	158	1,394	1,552
Williamson	424	110	534
District	16,151	31,393	47,544
<u>Southeast</u>			
Edwards	395	159	554
Franklin	159	1,664	1,823
Gallatin	338	218	556
Hamilton	444	93	537
Hardin	59	80	139
Jefferson	1,081	858	1,939
Massac	1,329	685	2,014
Pope	137	309	446
Saline	242	641	883
Wabash	306	260	566
Wayne	1,152	397	1,549
White	87	1,043	1,130
District	5,729	6,407	12,136
STATE	236,038	661,052	897,090

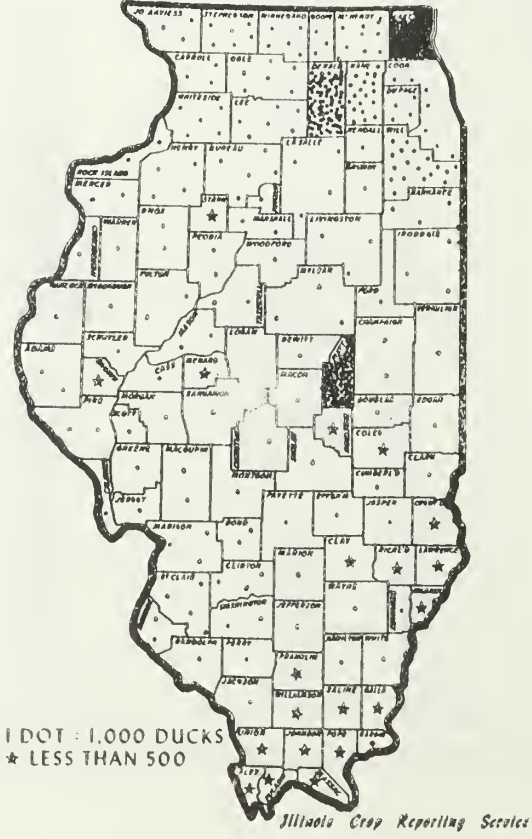
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LIGHT BREED TURKEYS RAISED, 1954



DUCKS RAISED, 1954



U. S. CENSUS 1954: Turkeys kept for breeding

District and County	Number	District and County	Number
Northwest		West Southwest	
Bureau	6	Bond	80
Carroll	3	Calhoun	37
Henry	24	Cass	-
Jo Daviess	519	Christian	1,941
Lee	26	Greene	91
Mercer	5	Jersey	36
Ogle	7	Macoupin	554
Putnam	-	Madison	135
Rock Island	17	Montgomery	1,326
Stephenson	28	Morgan	30
Whiteside	336	Pike	128
Winnebago	46	Sangamon	56
District	1,017	Scott	5
		District	4,419
Northeast		East Southeast	
Boone	7	Clark	45
Cook	445	Clay	110
De Kalb	3,745	Coles	21
Du Page	3,110	Crawford	57
Grundy	6	Cumberland	26
Kane	206	Douglas	7
Kendall	14	Edgar	15
Lake	154	Effingham	68
La Salle	17	Fayette	63
McHenry	6	Jasper	1,468
Will	159	Lawrence	17
District	7,869	Marion	433
		Moultrie	24
West		Richland	657
Adams	1,511	Shelby	44
Brown	11	District	3,055
Fulton	1,157		
Hancock	3,157	Southwest	
Henderson	325	Alexander	79
Knox	402	Clinton	16
McDonough	86	Jackson	50
Schuyler	12	Johnson	18
Warren	41	Monroe	256
District	6,702	Perry	279
		Pulaski	53
Central		Randolph	199
De Witt	29	St. Clair	1,303
Logan	18	Union	51
McLean	40	Washington	124
Macon	62	Williamson	38
Marshall	12	District	2,466
Mason	9		
Menard	-	Southeast	
Peoria	34	Edwards	31
Stark	8	Franklin	244
Tazewell	17	Gallatin	59
Woodford	-	Hamilton	72
District	229	Hardin	27
		Jefferson	282
East		Massac	142
Champaign	70	Pope	47
Ford	9	Saline	80
Iroquois	1,297	Wabash	28
Kankakee	57	Wayne	301
Livingston	22	White	68
Platt	-	District	1,381
Vermilion	37		
District	1,492		
		STATE	28,630

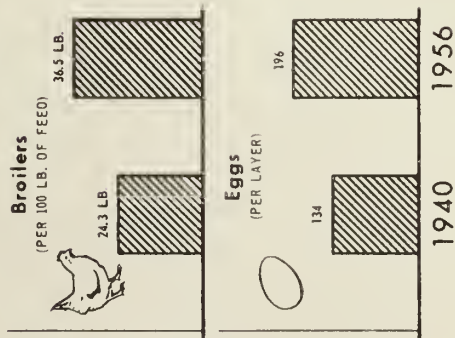
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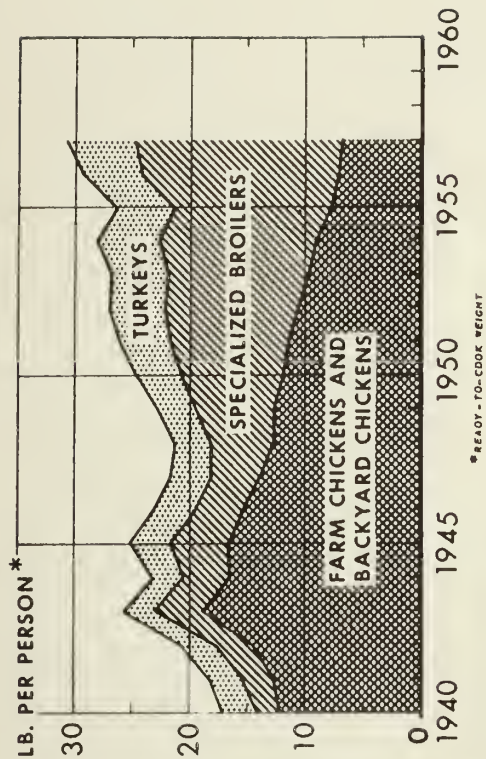
District and County	Number	District and County	Number
Northwest		West Southwest	
Bureau	4,857	Bond	1,582
Carroll	2,897	Calhoun	657
Henry	3,884	Cass	1,114
Jo Daviess	2,525	Christian	1,141
Lee	5,916	Greene	845
Mercer	2,161	Jersey	1,166
Ogle	5,675	Macoupin	1,659
Putnam	831	Madison	3,006
Rock Island	1,750	Montgomery	846
Stephenson	5,601	Morgan	704
Whiteside	4,480	Pike	1,551
Winnebago	3,495	Sangamon	1,372
District	44,072	Scott	536
		District	16,179
Northeast		East Southeast	
Boone	2,667	Clark	750
Cook	6,736	Clay	429
De Kalb	82,666	Coles	399
Du Page	3,701	Crawford	411
Grundy	999	Cumberland	572
Kane	18,957	Douglas	967
Kendall	1,331	Edgar	527
Lake	219,095	Effingham	1,094
La Salle	4,334	Fayette	1,182
McHenry	8,811	Jasper	644
Will	17,907	Lawrence	175
District	367,204	Marion	604
		Moultrie	141
West		Richland	368
Adams	1,730	Shelby	777
Brown	302	District	9,040
Fulton	1,998		
Hancock	1,087	Southwest	
Henderson	516	Alexander	344
Knox	1,592	Clinton	2,651
McDonough	1,173	Jackson	485
Schuyler	893	Johnson	40
Warren	987	Monroe	2,405
District	10,278	Perry	901
		Pulaski	455
Central		Randolph	1,417
De Witt	588	St. Clair	3,953
Logan	1,050	Union	223
McLean	2,912	Washington	1,868
Macon	589	Williamson	186
Marshall	1,529	District	14,928
Mason	1,594		
Menard	245	Southeast	
Peoria	2,313	Edwards	542
Stark	431	Franklin	240
Tazewell	1,805	Gallatin	80
Woodford	1,265	Hamilton	308
District	14,321	Hardin	161
		Jefferson	936
East		Massac	233
Champaign	1,840	Pope	235
Ford	1,266	Saline	227
Iroquois	3,116	Wabash	244
Kankakee	3,197	Wayne	1,080
Livingston	3,316	White	566
Piatt	120,427	District	4,852
Vermilion	987		
District	134,149		
		STATE	615,023

Gains in Output Per Animal Since 1940



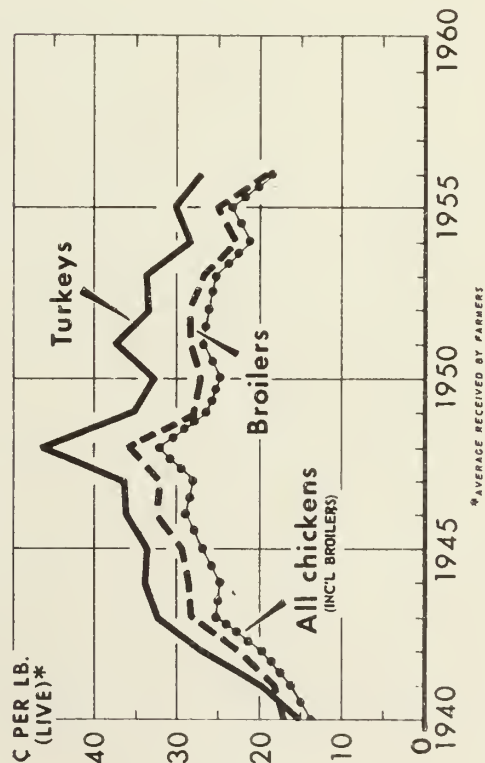
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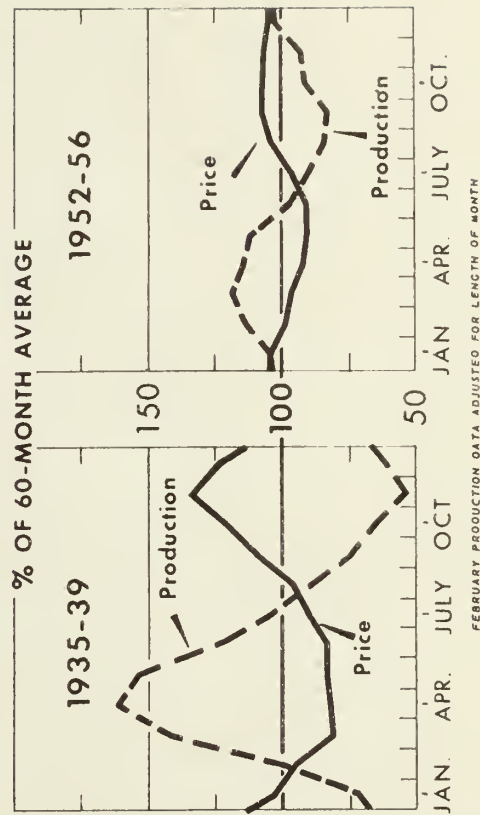
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